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JOHANN MOST ON MURDER.

The Arch Anarchist Thinks President Carnot's Murder a Glorious Act.

Carnot Said to be the Most Correct Representative of the People's Sovereignty.

Paris, June 26.—President Carnot's body arrived from Lyons to-day and was driven to the Palace of Elysee followed by the widow, sons and members of the household. Thousands stood with uncovered heads as the cortege passed. Premier Dupuy announces that he will not refuse to be a candidate for the presidency if the country demands his services. It is stated that the government proposes to declare a state of siege at Lyons. The assassin, it is learned, did not have a paper in his hand when he approached Carnot's carriage as previously stated, but a large bouquet. He drew the dagger from behind and moved with such dexterity that he struck the blow before he could be seized. M. Jules Simon and Emile Olivier, both agree that Casimir-Perier should be elected president. The cabinet has perfected arrangements for the funeral.

Lyons, June 26.—An anti-Italian demonstration was kept up during the night and a number of Italian shops and dwellings were wrecked, and many Italians were assaulted and maltreated. This morning the Italian quarters were attacked by a mob who looted the shops and residences. The troops finally dispersed the mob. Three hundred rioters were arrested. The soldiers surrounded the Italian consulate and all is quiet now.

Paris, June 24.—Telegrams of condolence are pouring in from all parts of the world. Carnot's body will lie in state in the palace.

St. Petersburg, June 26.—The Czar has telegraphed condolence to Mme. Carnot and the French government.

Rome, June 26.—The flag on the royal palace and flags throughout Italy are half-masted.

New York, June 26.—The anarchists of this city met last night in Faulkhabre's hall, No. 1551 Second avenue. "Socialism and Anarchism," was to have been the subject of discussion for the evening, but little else was spoken of but the exalted "bravery" of the martyr who assassinated President Carnot. The leader of the communistic anarchists in this city, Herr Johann Most, was located yesterday in a saloon, 144 Park row, where he was eating his lunch.

"What do I think of Carnot's death? Well, I think the hog should have been stuck long ago. You don't see any mourning band around my hat, do you? Well, neither would you see any if the whole brood of autocratic hogs were butchered all in a heap. They ought to be given their quietus in droves of forty and fifty. Not that Carnot was any luminous mark to aim at. He was not exactly what one would call a despot; but the big, overbearing pig scrawled his name to every document that steeped honest folks deeper and deeper into slavery. It was right, it was just, it was glorious to extinguish such a life." "The czar," he added. "Well, his time will come too. It cost about from four to six millions a year to hedge that hog's life around with safeguards, but, with all precautions, he finds every day some such pleasant souvenir as a death's head painted on his bed curtains, or a dagger stuck into his counterpane, or a miniature bomb lying under his head. He is the hog with the biggest grunt, and some day he will have to go like your Carnots and your other beasts. Herr Dowe's bulletproof coat of mail will not avail him. He will be reached though he sit entrenched in a tower of steel a thousand feet in thickness. And as for your brood of reporters, I want to say," continued Herr Most, as he was leaving his meal, "you are not your own masters. I know you are slaves of big combines that send you hither and thither to do this and that. To-day you are sent to interview an anarchist, the next day a hog of a so-called statesman, and the third day you report an execution or some other murder. But, mark you, though you are slaves I give you warning that if you do not treat us with greater fairness than you have been doing, slave or no slave, you will some day come into contact with the knife's edge, and in a way that will not please you."

Most also spoke of the manner in which weapons and dynamite ought to be used to prove most effective. He has published a letter in the Freheit, which will be translated for the morning papers. It treats of the superiority of some weapons over others in dispatching rulers and bourgeoisie. He gives special prominence to the knife. When asked concerning the coincidence between his having advocated the use of the knife and its employment by the Italian who murdered Carnot, Most said: "You don't mean to say that you think my advice was so quickly acted upon?"

Caius Zimmerman, editor of the Flaming Torch, said Carnot richly deserved his fate. "He had been asked," said Zimmerman, "to pardon Vaillant, and he treated the committee like so many dogs. The committee wished to show that Vaillant's trial was unfair, that he was not guilty, but Carnot showed the committee to the door and the martyred Vaillant was executed. Carnot could have saved him with one stroke of his pen."

Jose Ygfesias, a wealthy cigar manufacturer, of 158 Division street, was seen in Brooklyn last night. He said: "I believe, judging from descriptions published of him, that Emilio Santo, who assassinated President Carnot, lived in Brooklyn eighteen months ago. He was a well educated man, and lived for a long time in South America. About eighteen months ago, he having been in this country six months, I contributed to a fund to send him to Paris, where he said he had friends and could get work. Santo was a quiet, deep thinker, and I must [illegible] imagine an assassin. Yet, as I have said before, the descriptions of him are such that I believe him to be the same one."

Berlin, June 25.—The Vossische Zeitung, speaking of the assassination of President Carnot, says: "It is folly to charge Italy with the deed because the murderer is an Italian. If France possessed to-day General Boulanger, or a man with General Boulanger's popularity, without his vacillation, Europe would see a coup d'etat and a dictator."

The Tageblatt says: "M. Carnot was the most correct and strictest representative of the sovereignty of the people. He never courted the Chauvinist passion, but succeeded in converting the monarchists and the imperialists to the republic. Under his presidency France gained the respect and the admiration of all nations."

The emperor wired an expression of his condolence to Mme. Carnot direct to Lyons this morning.

Paris, June 25.—When the sitting of the chamber of deputies commenced at 2.20 p.m. to-day, M. Casimir-Perier, president of the chamber, entered with a paper in his hand. Immediately every person in the chamber was on his feet with bowed head. The president then read a letter from Premier Dupuy announcing the terrible crime at Lyons. M. Casimir-Perier pronounced to the chamber an eulogy upon President Carnot, and in the course of his remarks associated the chamber with the whole country in common sorrow before the tomb where disappears a life of devotion and integrity. He then read the summons of M. Challemel-Lacour, convening a congress at Versailles on Wednesday for the purpose of electing a president of the republic.

The Republican group in the chamber of deputies, 120 in number, have decided to vote for M. Casimir-Perier for president. The members of the extreme left had a meeting this afternoon, M. Goblet presiding, and selected M. Brisson as their candidate. The socialist group have decided to bar the way of any capitalist or clerical candidate. The senate groups are undecided and are still holding meetings. M. Leon Say is mentioned as a candidate by some of his adherents.

Lyons, June 25.—Caesario, the assassin, shows not the slightest signs of agitation. He is perfectly tranquil, and at times appears careless and even callous. He has admitted that he had for some time contemplated his crime. He produced to-day a programme of the Lyons festivities, giving the president's route through the city. Along the route he had marked spots where he presumed he would have a chance to strike the fatal blow. He bought the poinard with which he stabbed the president in Cette, paying for it five francs. He had given the subject of his crime considerable thought, and felt confident that he knew how to deal a fatal blow before he left Cette. According to his version, which inquiry in Cette has corroborated, he visited his sweetheart before leaving, and said: "I hate quarrelling with my employer and am going to Lyons; you will see me no more."

London, June 25.—Henri Rochefort in an interview to-day said: "I fear the murder of President Carnot will be followed by reprisals against Italians and a repetition of the bloody scenes of the Aigues-Mortes. I am receiving telegrams from which I have the assurance that no Frenchman or anarchist had anything to do with the affair. In regard to the election of M. Carnot's successor, I do not think that M. Constans has any chance in the race with MM. Casimir-Perier and Dupuy. I think the choice will fall upon M. Dupuy. If M. Casimir-Perier is elected France will fall under the regime of an autoritaire. I have no fear that Gen. Saussier or any other military officer will be elected."

Chicago, June 26.—President Carnot's assassination caused intense excitement among the French colonists of Chicago. Had not Edward Bruwaert, the French consul, sternly checked two or three of his countrymen, who were determined to take revenge upon the Italian anarchists here, serious trouble would have arisen. Forty members of the French club held a meeting at Mr. Bruwaert's office to-day. Expressions of grief among the club members over the manner in which the president was murdered gave way to some extent to expressions of regret that the people should assault people of another nationality because the murderer happened to be one of them. The threatened determination for a time of some of the hotheads to revenge the president's death on the Italians in Chicago was considered serious enough by Mr. Bruwaert and Count Moroi, acting consul for the Italian government, to work together for the prevention of an outbreak.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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TO-MORROW
June 27th, at 2 p.m.

Having received instructions from Mrs. Howes, who is leaving the city, we will sell the contents of her well furnished 7 roomed house, consisting of parlor, dining, bedroom and kitchen furniture, bedding, crockery and glassware, cooking and heating stoves, carpets, and a quantity of English bed linen and blankets. Also, 1 fine singing canary. Terms cash. No reserve.
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THE ONTARIO ELECTIONS.

Returns From a Number of Constituencies are Favorable to Mowat's Success.

The Protestant Protective Association Plays a Prominent Part.

Toronto, June 26.—Following are the election returns so far:

Nipissing, Loughrin, Liberal, elected, majority 500.

Peel—Smith, Liberal, elected, majority 200.

South Norfolk, Charlton, Liberal, elected by a large majority.

Frontenac, latest returns gives Smyth (Con.) the majority.

Dundas, Whitney (Con.), probably elected by a good majority.

South Wellington, Mutrie, Liberal, has 223 majority in Guelph city. His election is claimed as sure.

Welland, Gorman, Liberal, elected by about 150 majority.

South Oxford, McKay, Liberal, elected by 507 majority.

Hamilton West, Gibson, Liberal, elected by 407 majority.

Hamilton East, Middleton, Liberal, 95 majority.

South Lanark, Matheson, Conservative, elected by 500.

North Waterloo, Robertson, Liberal, claims to be elected by 12 majority.

London, Meredith, Conservative, elected by 135 majority.

West Toronto, seven places give Crawford, Con., 3670; Lindsay, Lib., 2305.

South Brant, Hardy, Liberal, elected by 276 majority.

London, with nine places to hear from, Meredith, Conservative, has 108 majority.

East Toronto, 53 places give Ryerson Conservative, 3032; Armstrong, Labor, 1501.

Kingston—Both sides claim election, the Liberals by 5 and the Conservatives by 16 majority.

Ottawa city, Bronson, Liberal, 2055; O'Keefe, Liberal, 2065; McIntyre, Ind., 1760; McKay, Conservative, 1763.

North Toronto, 28 places give Marter, Conservative, 1719, and Tait, Liberal, 1251.

South Toronto, 92 places give Howland, Conservative, 5044, Moss, Liberal, 3582.

Kingston, the Whig, Liberal paper, gives Smyth, Conservative, a majority over Hon. Mr. Harty.

BOOTH'S MILLS BURNED.

The Great Sawmills at Ottawa Are Completely Destroyed by Fire.

The Total Loss Estimated at Quarter of a Million Dollars.

Ottawa, June 26.—John R. Booth's mills at Chaudiere, which overhang the Chaudiere Falls, were burned to the ground this morning at 3 o'clock. The mills of Canada's lumber king were the finest equipped in the world, and had the latest devices in machinery. The loss is put at about $200,000. It is thought the fire was the work of an incendiary. Insurance about $145,000.

The election in West Hastings takes place on the 11th July.

OF INTEREST TO CANADA.

Medals for Long, Meritorious Service in the Colonies.

London, June 26.—The Queen has signed the royal warrant authorizing the issue of medals for long and meritorious service in the colonies.

The war office and admiralty deny any knowledge of the recently reported purchase in Chicago of army forage and other supplies. This denial is in answer to the offer of Canadians to furnish all such supplies.

Arrangements are nearly concluded to provide the necessary capital to finish the Chignecto ship railway to connect the Bay of Fundy and the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Cable News.

Edinburgh, June 26.—Sixty thousand coal miners struck to-day. Thousands of steel workers are in enforced idleness on account of the strike.

An immense meeting of socialists was held in the Prater, Vienna, on Sunday, it being estimated that 25,000 people were present. The object of the meeting was to declare in favor of universal suffrage, for which the Austrian workingmen have been agitating for a long time. The speakers urged that the agitation be continued until the demand was ceded. It was the intention of the anarchists to have a procession through the principal streets of the city, but this was prevented by a detachment of mounted and foot police.

Emma Juch's Marriage.

New York, June 26.—A bright particular star is lost to the musical world in the retirement of Miss Emma Juch, who this afternoon at Stamford, Conn., became the bride of Assistant District Attorney Francis P. Wellman of this city. Only intimate friends of both parties witnessed the nuptials. The bride announced to her friends recently that from to-day she would practically give up the stage, although she may occasionally appear in concerts and oratorios.

General Hewston Released.

London, July 26.—The grand jury to-day threw out the indictment against General Hewston of California charging him with manslaughter. Hewston accidentally killed a young man who had insulted him.

Empress of India.

[illegible], June 26.—The C. P. R. steamship Empress of India arrived here at 7.30 to-day.

TWENTY LIVES LOST.

Disaster Overtakes a German Fishermen's Excursion at New York.

New York, June 24.—The tug James D. Nichol, with sixty-three excursionists and a crew of ten or twelve, sank at one o'clock this afternoon three miles off Highlands. Fifty-four of those on board have been accounted for, and the rest were probably drowned. The tug left Fifth street and East river at 7.30 this morning for the fishing grounds. She had, it is said, a license to carry fifty passengers, but sixty-three tickets were sold. There was a bar and lunch counter on board, whose attendants, with the crew, made the total number on board seventy-five. The tug reached the banks on time, but the fishing was poor and the sea too rough for comfort, and about noon she started back. When about three miles east of Highlands and about four miles south of Scotland lightship the waves began to break heavily over her starboard rail. To dodge the water and wind the passengers began to run around the port side and to climb on top of the deckhouse. The port careened alarmingly to port and water swept over the rail. The terror-stricken men rushed back to starboard, and the tug sank deeply on that side. At the same moment heavy breakers struck the boat in quick succession. The captain, William Hyatt, stuck pluckily to his post and sounded the whistle in a prolonged scream for help. Even as he did so the tug filled with the water that poured into her from both sides and sank out of sight in the water. She went down like a stone, carrying many of the passengers with her. The water choked the cry of the whistle, but not before it had been heard and heeded. The steamer Algonquin, a mile away, heard it and swung around to go to the rescue. The tugs Wallace B. Hunt, R. J. Moran and Gov. Sayres also hurried towards the spot. The Algonquin picked up ten men, one of whom died a few minutes later. The tugs rescued the others who remained afloat. Some few had life belts on, but most of them were clinging to bits of wreckage. A life raft supported a dozen and the top of the pilot house as many more. The Algonquin brought those she had picked up to the city. The living dispersed to their homes, and the dead body, which has not been identified, was sent to the morgue. All the people bore German names. Some of the tugs, not wishing to come to the city, transferred the men they had saved to the other tugs. The Sayres brought up thirty-four survivors and landed them on the east side. The E. C. Evarts brought up two bodies and several survivors. The Governor is supposed to have landed sevral in Brooklyn. Altogether fifty-four out of the seventy-five have been accounted for. Three of them were dead.

THE WELSH DISASTER.

Two Hundred and Fifty Miners Dead in the Pit.

Cardiff, June 25.—The men who have volunteered to search the Albion colliery at Cilfynd, the scene of the terrible explosion of fire-damp last evening, have been at work all day, but no further rescues have been effected. All hope for those still missing has been abandoned. The number dead will, it is believed, reach 250. It has been ascertained that 267 men and boys descended the shaft yesterday, and of this number only 17 have been saved. A large number of bodies are buried beneath the earth falls and it has been found impossible yet to extricate them. Those not killed by the explosion or crushed to death by the falling earth and rock were undoubtedly asphyxiated by the after-damp. The scene of the disaster has been visited to-day by thousands of people from the surrounding country.

Late this evening the rescuing parties succeeded in extricating a large number of bodies. Thus far 142 bodies have been taken from the pit. A telegram from the Queen says she is much shocked and expresses deep sympathy with the families of the dead.

WILL HAVE THEIR OPIUM.

Women of Gotham Who Indulge in the Habit.

It seems that the women of New York will have their opiated "dream luncheon" and their narcoticful "boudoir siesta," albeit the authorities have prohibited the sale of the drug for other than medicinal purposes.

The Turk of Bleecker street risks his personal liberty and his sheckels only in supplying the "recommended swellest patrons." But the middle class, who always more or less go in for the fashions and virtues and faults of the ultra smartest, is also furnished on the side with the insidious product of the "reverie plant."

And the proprietor of this new scheme to trick the law and to deal out ruin to the misguided [illegible] his trade about a quarter of an hour per diem and thereby makes a handsome income.

It appears that the brother of a certain police captain makes a rendezvous of this sort of a well known Sixth Avenue restaurant every night near the midnight hour.

This perambulating merchant enters the restaurant and at once proceeds to transact business. In succession he seats himself at certain tables and chats a few moments with the pale-faced women who listlessly nibble at dainties and sip coffee while waiting his appearance. During an apparently incidental conversation of the jolly sort the young man takes from under the lining of his hat small cube-shaped packages which he manages to hand to the women in exchange for their coin. He nonchalantly strolls from table to table, cleverly assuming surprise over "by chance" meeting with friends. He usually finishes the programme by leisurely sauntering up to the cashier's desk, exchanging a few pleasant words with the change-maker, purchasing a package of cigarettes, setting one ablaze and walking slowly out of the place into the night, having made sufficient percentage on his transaction to pay for his own extravagant way of living for two or three days.

And he seldom devotes more than 15 minutes to this visit.

It is said that the dealer himself indulges in the opium habit. Anyhow, he makes out to procure the drug and he sells it at a high premium. When he meets his patrons on the street they pass by as strangers, using extreme caution lest the police might have a glimpse out on a suspected errand. Quite likely the restaurant powers stand in with the dealer, for up to date he has escaped uncomfortable meddling although police have ambiguous information concerning his 'calling.'

It is reported that the opium habit is increasing in the city by the sea, especially among the women folk supposed to be too intelligent to become its slaves by playing with a foolish fad of the hour.

A WHITE HORSE YARN.

The Story Told About a Remarkable Chicago Equine.

An ancient-looking swayback horse of low, long, lean build, the hue of whose hide is a murky white, is imprisoned in the South Chicago pound for the serious offense of holding up trains on three different railroads in that section of the city. For the past two or three weeks this venerable nag has proved himself fully as holy a terror to engineers on the Lake Shore, Fort Wayne and Baltimore & Ohio railroads as any strong armed train robbers or raving Coxeyites. Night after night for the last few weeks has this old horse blocked traffic on the three railroads above mentioned. Every time that the trainmen thought that the horse was surely reduced to a thing of shreds and patches he bobbed up to still further harass them. When seen a long distance ahead the driver would have to stop his train and drive the animal off the track. On several occasions he has been given a night job.

Three bridges span the Calumet river between 95th and 96th streets within a short distance of each other. Over these pass the trains of the Fort Wayne, Lake Shore and Baltimore & Ohio railroads. These bridges have been the scene of the old white horse's operations. He has haunted them night after night, taking his station first on one and then on another, holding up trains with an alarming frequency. The first encounter between a railroad train and the four-footed outlaw occurred three weeks ago. It was shortly before midnight when, as an eastbound Fort Wayne passenger train was approaching the road's bridge over the Calumet, the watchful engineer caught sight of a large, white object ahead of him on the bridge. He called to the fireman, put on the air-brake and stopped the train. That was the mysterious nag's first hold-up and from that time on until the law laid its heavy hand upon him he played a lone star engagement on the Calumet bridges with passing trains. On the same night, a few hours after holding up the Fort Wayne train, he clambered up on the Baltimore & Ohio bridge and compelled a freight train to halt.

Two nights after this as the same Fort Wayne train that had previously encountered the pale horse was nearing the Calumet bridge, the engineer suddenly exclaimed to the fireman as he reversed the lever and applied the air:

"Dick, there's that blamed old white horse again."

"That's what it is," shouted the fireman as he peered out of his side of the cab.

The train was stopped on the bridge and it took ten minutes to drive the animal off the bridge to allow the train to proceed on its way. It was scarce a half hour after this when the horse got in front of another Fort Wayne train on the same end of the bridge and brought it to a standstill after getting a light jolt from the pilot of the engine, and the next morning the engineer of an incoming Lake Shore passenger train reported striking a white horse near the Calumet river bridge the night before and seeing him walk leisurely off after being hit.

It was then the fame of the invulnerable steed began to spread and with it a feeling of dread among the railroad men. One engineer maintained that it must be a trick horse, a dummy, for no live animal could stand being hit by trains so many times and not lie down and die.

All the time the railroad men didn't feel right about the horse and they came to dread the approach to the Calumet bridges. The old horse that was causing all this commotion took a couple of nights off just about this time and nothing was seen of him. Last Thursday night, however, Engineer George Wilkinson, of the Baltimore & Ohio road was pulling into South Chicago with a stock train from the stock yards when he saw a white horse standing in the middle of the track ahead of him. This was some distance west of the Calumet river bridges, the horse having wandered away from the scene of his usual operations. Engineer Wilkinson blew his whistle sharply, but it had no effect on the equine obstruction, so he was forced to bring his train to a standstill and, with his fireman, drive the animal from the track.

The next day came the outlaw's Waterloo. The patrol wagon was called from the South Chicago police station and the equine hero was ignominiously led away a prisoner to the pound, where he is now enjoying all the comforts of the public institution for strayed and lost animals. The old horse's legs and body are badly battered from his severe contact with locomotives, but otherwise he is in good bodily health and calmly awaiting an owner. His ultimate fate will probably be a bullet through the head and then the soap factory.

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CANADIAN NEWS.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

J. L. Brodie, manager of the Standard Bank in Toronto, died last week.

The fine C. P. R. hotel at MacLeod, N. W. T., has been burned to the ground.

Mr. Alexander Logan, ex-mayor of Winnipeg, and a pioneer resident, died suddenly on Saturday.

By-laws to raise $10,000 for a hospital and $30,000 to consolidate the debt at 4 1-2 per cent., were carried in Calgary.

Mr. William Doherty, a farmer of Keppel, has been killed by his horses trampling upon him while working in the field.

Word has been received of the drowning of John E. Waldie, second son of Mr. John Waldie, ex-M. P., at French river.

The privy council has granted permission to appeal the Manitoba school case. It is likely to come up some time in November.

The Canadian Institute has decided to invite the British Association for the Advancement of Science to meet in Toronto in 1895.

The railway committee of the house of commons has given permission to the Gatineau Valley Railway to extend its line to Hudson's Bay.

Dr. Robinson (Liberal) has retired from the contest in Cardwell constituency for the Ontario legislature in favor of the Patron candidate, Mr. E. Jeffs.

A ten year old boy named Larocque, of Lachute, bought some tobacco a few days ago and began to chew it. He swallowed some juice, and it killed him.

At Cheapside, near Jarvis, Ont., Geo. Sinclair's hotel and barns and Noble E. Bodell's general store and telegraph office were destroyed by fire with nearly all the contents.

At the annual meeting of the Ontario Bank Sir William P. Howland retired from the presidency of the institution, and G. R. R. Cockburn, M. P., was elected to the position.

Dr. O'Connor, of Toronto, was honorably acquitted of a charge of forgery preferred against him in connection with the Anglo-Canadian Loan Co., of which he was a director.

No successor to Archbishop Tache has been appointed, as reported in some quarters. Bishop Duhamel of Ottawa will deliver a funeral oration on the late archbishop on Tuesday evening.

A by-law has been introduced in the Hamilton city council to compel the street railway company to provide shelters for motormen. If the company fails to do so the city may provide shelters and tax the company with the expense.

A long open letter is published from Principal Grant to Mr. W. R. Meredith, M.P.P., in which the attitude of the latter regarding separate schools and other matters is dealt with. Principal Grant says that if Mr. Meredith depends upon his P. P. A. supporters he must pay the price men of one idea will insist upon.

A Montreal dispatch to the Empire says: A leading ecclesiastical dignitary is authority for the statement that the Roman Catholic bishops of Quebec have decided that in the very near future the council of public instruction will agree that all teachers belonging to the several religious orders must pass an examination and receive diplomas before entering upon their duties as instructors of the young.

Evangelist Belleville left his home at Hamilton, Ont., recently to buy a postage stamp, and has not been heard of since. His wife is grief-stricken on account of her husband's absence, and she believes he has committed suicide while suffering from melancholia. He leaves four children, the eldest being eleven years of age. A fruitless search has been made for him.

The big Liberal meeting held at the new Massey music hall in Toronto was a wild affair. The crowd was said by some to be largely composed of P. P. A. men, who went to the hall to interrupt S. H. Blake, who had referred to the P. P. A. people as "bastard Protestants." They had a band which played "The Protestant Boys" outside the hall, and by singing and shouting inside the hall for over an hour made it impossible for Mr. Blake to speak. Never before in the history of Toronto has there been such a meeting. For over two hours the great hall, packed with above four thousand orderly citizens, was given over largely to a dastardly group of two or three hundred persons, whose organized disturbance made itself felt with the chairman's opening words and culminated when Mr. Blake rose to speak. The hall was given over for a time to mob rule, which was quelled only with the arrival of a large force of police. They cleared the gallery, which was the principal scene of the disturbance. There were many fights in different parts of the hall.

TWO WOMEN DETECTIVES.

They Seem to be Doing Good Business at Good Pay Out West.

It would seem that the troublesome question of ways and means for women to earn a living need not disturb them much longer, or give them cause to complain of their privileges, when they can find their way into so many places hitherto considered man's exclusive property. Two young women in St. Paul, Miss Coffers and Mrs. Netzer, have branched out into the detective business and worked at it diligently for six years. From their own story, given to a St. Paul paper, it is evident that they have been very successful in working out their cases, and fortunate enough to escape serious injury. They are private detectives and have gained a valuable experience and acquired a reputation which does them credit. One would imagine women who would undertake such a hazardous business to be large and muscular, and more masculine than feminine, but they are described as about the average in size, not at all mysterious or unlike other women in general appearance, with nothing in their manner that could lead anyone to think they were engaged in prying into people's secrets for the purpose of giving them over to justice.

Mrs. Netzer, who is a widow, graduated from a detective agency, and worked up several important cases before she went into partnership with her friend. She was once engaged in a case against a woman in a small Minnesota town, where she went as a peddler of cosmetics. Trade was good, and she soon became acquainted with all the ladies in the place. The dread that someone might come to town who knew her made her watch every arrival with fear and trembling. At last a judge and an old acquaintance appeared at the hotel, and she was obliged to shut herself in her room for three days under pretence of illness to escape being recognized. The only case she ever lost was through the fault of her client.

Miss Coffers has had several narrow escapes from death, and yet she says she does not know the meaning of fear. She was once employed to convict some burglars, and in order to find them she had to visit some of the lowest dives in St. Paul, places that are the resort of a murderous lot of thieves. After finding the three she wanted and talking to them for some time, one of them discovered her purpose and informed the others. She started for the door, knocking two of them down with a billy as she went, and ducked her head just in time to miss a pistol shot from the third.

Another attempt was made on her life by a man disguised as a Roman Catholic priest, who came to her house when she was ill and gave her father some medicine which he said would cure her, and it turned out to be poison. His identity could never be discovered, but he was supposed to be a confederate of some one against whom she had worked up a case.

Miss Coffers claims a natural gift for the business, but it made itself manifest to her through a suspicion of shoplifting which was directed against her. To be unjustly accused angered her, and she made up her mind to find and expose the real criminal, which she did. The thief proved to be a young woman who worked in the same store with her, and she had taken many things and buried them in the ground. This case gave her a start and a reputation in detective work, and she was soon engaged by Pinkerton and other agencies. One of the amusing experiences was when she found it necessary to hire out as a servant to a woman she wanted to convict. Divorce and embezzlement cases furnish these women the greater part of their work and they pay pretty well.

Women detectives are said to be unreliable, and their services are not wanted in New York at present, but their continued success in other cities may serve to change the tide of opinion here. —New York Sun.

PECULIAR NERVOUS AFFECTION

The Trouble Which Visits Gripmen on Cable Cars.

Neurologists are watching with a considerable degree of interest a new expression of a nervous malady which has made itself manifest since the introduction of the Broadway cable cars and the Brooklyn trolley system. With the exception of Chicago, there are no other cities possessing anything like the street traffic of New York, and where these methods of transportation are in operation. A nervous condition not at all like the usual nervousness that is excited by great noise, confusion or sudden danger has developed itself into several gripmen employed on the Broadway road and among the motormen employed on the Brooklyn trolley lines.

The constant look-out for collisions in the congested district below Canal street in Broadway keeps the gripman in a state of extreme nervous tension from the time he goes on his car until he goes off. Besides keeping his eye open for visible trouble, his mind is fixed on possibilities that are under his feet. He doesn't know just when there is going to be a pooling of interests between the grip and a broken strand in the cable, which will whisk him along the street, crashing into trucks, smashing wagons, frightening pedestrians, and exasperating policemen. This continuous strain results, first, in sleeplessness, then in a falling off in appetite and extreme irritability; after this a tremor in the facial muscles. At the expiration of a week these symptoms disappear, and may not return for ten days, but thereafter the intervals are regular, and are about one week apart—seven days in a state of nervous terror and seven days in a normal, apparently healthy condition. These exhibitions appear only to men of nervous, nervo-sanguine and bilious temperaments. While present in other temperaments they are not pronounced.—New York Mail and Express.

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The Czar in Constant Dread of Death at Nihilistic Hands.

If half the accounts be true which come from the splendid but fear-haunted palaces of the czar, the ruler of all the Russias walks, talks, eats, drinks and sleeps in the perpetual shadow of death, says the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette. A man of less physical strength would probably have died under the strain long ago, but Alexander is a giant in physique, and, according to all accounts, shows little evidence of the well known fact that to him peace and security are almost unknown. No month passes without his receiving intimation that he is beset by enemies, who manifest entire ability to reach him, despite the safeguards by which he is surrounded. He may find words of treason in the golden cigarette case which he opens when he would smoke, on the back of the dinner menu, upon the blotting pad when he signs dispatches, or beneath the pillow of his couch. The trusted attendant of his privacy may be sold to the conspirators, his kitchen may not be safe against them, nor his study, nor even the chapel where he worships. When he walks abroad his path must be heedfully cleared and protected, the walls of his palaces must be searched before he visits them, and his journeys by railway necessitate a minute inspection of the line, with a cordon of soldiers to keep it clear from point to point.

Notwithstanding the constant evidence of personal peril, the czar and his wife appear to enjoy themselves. The czarina is passionately fond of music and dancing, and the emperor often takes part as a cornet player at private theatrical entertainments. His imperial consort seems almost to enjoy the danger which she knows surrounds her, and always accompanies her husband at military reviews or other public ceremonies. Her chief peculiarity is her intense jealousy regarding her children. These are taught in turn by professors, a special study being set apart for each day, and none of these instructors is allowed sufficient time to supplant the mother in the pupils' regard. The children are frank, kindly, simple-mannered and natural.

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A KING WHO KEEPS HOTEL.

His Majesty of Wurtemberg Owns Two Hostleries at Stuttgart.

The only known royal ruler who runs a hotel is William II of Wurtemberg, who, according to report, is shortly to be decorated with the English order of the garter by Queen Victoria. His majesty is the proprietor of two Stuttgart establishments where refreshments may be had by man and beast. One of these is the Marquardt, which is located exactly opposite the royal palace, the other being the Riesig, situated a short distance away. The fact of King William being a hotel keeper recalls to a writer in the New York Recorder an old story of the czar Peter the Great. The Russian emperor was on a journey through Wurtemberg one time, but wishing to preserve his incognito absolutely declined to take up his quarters at the royal palace at Stuttgart, insisting instead on going to an inn. Having learned of this prior to the czar's arrival the Wurtemberg sovereign caused all the hotel and innkeepers to remove their signs. Over the principal doorway of his palace he had a huge sign hung stating that within there was cheer for man and beast at cheap prices and that the name of the hotel was the Koenigsbau. On the czar's carriage and retinue entering the city, the postillions previously instructed, by the Wurtemberg officials, drove straight to the palace, and there, standing at the main entrance, was the sovereign, fat and burly, arrayed in the traditional costume of a boniface, with white apron and cap, etc., with the various princesses, princes, nobles and dignitaries of his court were arrayed as waiters, waitresses, hostlers and other servants. Peter the Great, much amused by this witty manner of humoring his wishes entered thoroughly into the spirit of the joke, which was kept up until the following day, when he proceeded on his journey. Noticing that the postillion mounted on the wheeler of his travelling carriage was a man of singularly unkempt appearance, his clothes ragged and covered with mud, he made the remark to one of his attendants that there was at least no mistake as to the social condition of that man, and that there could be no danger of his being a nobleman in disguise. And yet at the end of the first stage, the postillion came to the carriage door to receive his gratuity and raise the cap from his head to the czar, to his astonishment, recognized in him the heir to the Wurtemberg throne, who had assumed this disguise for the purpose of speeding his father's imperial guest.

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NOTICE.

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Dated 19th June, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria.
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart the executor. j19-1m

NOTICE

Is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its sitting to be held on the second Wednesday in the month of September next, for a transfer to George Richardson, of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Windsor Hotel situate at the corner of Government and Courtney streets in the City of Victoria.

Dated the 4th day of June, 1894.

j5-1m ALEX. McDONALD.

TO THE ELECTORS
—OF—
Victoria City Electoral District.

Gentlemen:—The general election now being near at hand, and being a candidate for re-election, I wish to place my views on some of the questions commanding your attention, as well as to intimate the line of action which I shall take and the measures which I shall, if opportunity permits, support and maintain.

The party now in power have practically held office for over eleven years. Their policy has been an indefinite one on many of the questions requiring consideration. At the last general election the Opposition advocated reform in the land laws of the province, and have been able to make some important changes.

The privilege of allowing speculators and non-residents to take up large tracts of land has been taken away and the lands are now available for actual settlers.

By the efforts of the Opposition the assessment of the wild land has been much increased; the ad valorem principle of assessment according to the land value, is now the law.

There are two essential matters yet to be carried out in connection with the encouraging of agricultural settlers. First, the surveying of available lands for such a purpose and giving the necessary information by the Lands and Works Department; second, the making of roads to such settlements, so that the farmer may be able to bring his produce to market—such a policy as this must be adopted in order to develop and encourage the farming industry of our province. By so doing we shall add much to our wealth and prosperity.

The railway policy of the Government has not been a business-like one. From the time of the grant given to the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway down to the Nakusp & Slocan deal, the interests of the province and the welfare of the people have not been well guarded. On the one hand a corporation receives a large subsidy and an immense tract of land, free from taxation for ever; on the other, a private company is subsidized by guaranteeing the bonds to the full cost of the road as well as interest on the same for twenty-five years. One cannot but come to the conclusion that a Government policy of such character is likely to bring the credit of the province into disrepute.

Monopolies of any kind are to be deplored, but monopolies backed by Government aid and support are often the most difficult to overcome. Government aid to such an extent as has been given in the instances referred to, precludes other roads from being assisted or built. As an instance of this we recognize the difficulty the British Pacific Railway will have in dealing with the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway and its existing rights. Thus by the action of the present Government in the past it looks as if the province were at the mercy of ringsters and monopolists who are despoiling the people of their heritage.

I am opposed to the executive using its power to make large appropriations of money by special warrant for roads, streets, bridges, and public works, without first submitting such to the legislature. Such a course of action leads to favoritism and corruption and is not in accord with the principles of constitutional government.

I have advocated, and will continue to do so, the reduction of taxation on improvements and the abolition of taxes on mortgages. The latter impost presses doubly hard upon the borrower, and the repeal of this law would be in the interest and for the advancement of the province.

The practice followed on the eve of a general election of promising aid to public works and institutions by members of the executive should be condemned, as it is attempting to bribe the electors with their own money. The independent electors should answer this by sending men to the Legislature who will do their utmost to remove such ministers from power.

During the past four years legislation has been brought about, chiefly by the Opposition, in reforming the School Law. The residents of the cities have now greater power over the management of their schools, and more is yet desired in this particular. I shall use my best endeavors to bring this about, so that our schools may be free of all political influences.

I have also advocated further restriction on Chinese immigration and the employment of Chinese by any company seeking charters or grants from the Legislature. I have advocated and still maintain that a clause should be inserted in all bills giving such privileges or aid to prevent the employment of this class of labor.

I also have advocated the necessity of employing residents of the province instead of non-residents or foreigners in the prosecution of all works or contracts let by the government.

It is impossible in an address of this kind to touch on all questions affecting the province. I hope, however, before long to have the opportunity of addressing the electors in public meeting, at which time I will refer to matters more extensively.

Hoping that my past record as a representative in the Local Legislature has been acceptable to you, I again seek your votes and support.

I remain, yours respectfully,

G. L. MILNE.

TO THE ELECTORS
—OF—
Victoria City Electoral District.

Gentlemen—As a candidate in the coming contest for legislative honors, and particularly as a labor candidate, I take this method of expressing some of the views I hold relating to the good government of the province.

I believe that heretofore, although workingmen have assisted largely in electing representatives to the legislature and parliament, their interests have not, generally speaking, been advanced or guarded; but on the contrary laws have been enacted whereby the greater burden of taxation has been placed upon the shoulders of the workingman, and monopolies have been fostered to the detriment of their interests and the country at large. Too many professional men and capitalists have made or influenced the making of our laws, and I believe that a remedy may be applied by workingmen being represented in the councils of our land by men from their own ranks—men who are not only in sympathy with them, but who are in touch with their necessities.

I believe that every man is entitled to an equitable share of what his labor produces; also that enterprise and ability to organize and direct labor to the accomplishment of large undertakings deserves special consideration, but not to the extent that it is often accorded by the governments of the present day.

I would advocate a reduction in the hours of labor, and consider an eight hour law should be established by the government and enforced on all government work.

Also the establishment of a provincial labor bureau for the purpose of gathering reliable information on the labor situation, so that intending immigrants may be made fully acquainted with the true state of the labor market in the province.

I believe that as a class the Chinese are injurious to the province, as they undoubtedly ridicule our religion and laws; introduce loathsome diseases and demoralizing habits; they trade exclusively among themselves and send what wealth they may acquire from our province to enrich their own empire. I believe the government should make every effort to lessen the evil which is the result of the presence of Coolie labor, and in the absence of laws similar to those in force in Australia, our government should, when granting privileges to companies and corporations, insist on a clause in the charters granted prohibiting the employment of Asiatic labor by such corporations or companies.

I advocate a liberal railway policy, feeling sure that we must have these most important highways to assist in developing the many latent resources of the province, but am opposed to the granting of monopolies in land for speculative purposes to companies to the exclusion of settlers.

I also believe that all religious questions should be kept out of our schools, being confident that the numerous religious institutions are quite capable of dealing with that matter.

I will more fully express my views on these questions at public meetings to be held. Hoping you can see your way clear to give me your support at the polls, I am,

Yours respectfully,

ARTHUR R. DUTTON.

TO THE ELECTORS
—OF—
Victoria City Electoral District.

Gentlemen:—As I am a candidate to represent you in the Provincial Legislature, I wish to give my views on some of the important questions of the day.

I hold that each man is entitled to all his labor produces; therefore, no tax should be levied on the products of labor.

The road tax, the provincial revenue tax, personal property tax, mortgage tax, taxes on improvements, and all taxes on useful trades and industries are unjust and should be abolished.

To carry out these principles, I am in favor of raising all public revenues for provincial and municipal purposes by a tax upon land values, irrespective of improvements.

This tax would lower rents, raise wages, encourage industry, equalise opportunities, and thereby benefit all.

The present electoral system gives unequal representation, and calls for legislative reform.

The monetary deposit now required from candidates for the provincial legislature should be abolished.

I am in favor of passing laws to exclude Asiatic labor from government works and prohibiting any further Asiatic immigration. When Chinese labor can be excluded from any works, by inserting clauses to that effect in charters and grants, it should be done.

I advocate a reduction in the hours of labor; an eight hour law should be established by the government and enforced on all government works.

I am in favor of establishing a Small Debts Court, to enable merchants and others to collect accounts with as little loss of time and money as possible.

I am an independent supporter of the opposition, because I feel they are inclined to go farthest in the direction of the reforms which I advocate; at the same time I wish it distinctly understood I am for measures and not for men.

As canvassing by a candidate is, in my opinion, contrary to the spirit of the ballot, it is not my intention to personally ask for votes. Trusting you may deem me a fit and proper person to represent you in the legislature, I hereby earnestly solicit your votes and influence. Faithfully yours,

W. G. CAMERON.

TENDERS WANTED.

City of Victoria, British Columbia

TENDER FOR DEBENTURES.

Sealed tenders endorsed "Tenders for Debentures" will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 p.m., on the 1st day of August, 1894, for the purchase of debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C., amounting to $35,000, or its sterling equivalent at the rate of $4.86 2-3 to the one pound sterling, in sums of $1,000, or its sterling equivalent as aforesaid, payable in fifty years from the 1st of August, 1894, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of four and one-half per cent. per annum, payable half yearly with principal and interest payable as aforesaid at the office of the Bank of British North America either in London, England; New York, U. S. A., or Montreal, Canada.

The Corporation reserves to itself the right to redeem and purchase these debentures on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof, at any time after twenty-five years form the date of issuance of such debentures.

The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at four and one-half per cent. from the 1st of August, 1894, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of "The Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital Aid By-law, 1894," with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land and improvements in the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's office, Victoria, B. C., June 8th, 1894.

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HARD ON THE N. P.

One of the Conservative candidates for the Ontario legislature in the city of Toronto is Oliver A. Howland, a son of Sir William Howland and a prominent barrister. This gentleman's candidature has been the occasion for bringing forward a quotation from a book which he wrote a few years ago, entitled "The New Empire." In this book Mr. Howland wrote at one place as follows: "The national or protective tariff system, of which Sir John was the introducer into Canada, was originally an innovation that the hostile policy of the United States seemed to justify, and revenue necessities made imperative. But it is a policy of which it may be said, after 12 years' experience of its working in Canada, and more than twice as long of its prototype in the United States, that, while its merits as an economic measure may be disputable, of its potency as an engine of government there can be no doubt. As a channel of contribution to the parliamentary exchequer, as a means of coaxing and threatening individuals, classes and localities, it is unrivalled. Moreover the narrow and jealous spirit of protective laws, by natural selection, brings to the surface of that department minds that do little honor to an administration or a country. Some of the meanest transactions of which custom house officialism has hitherto shown itself to be capable have taken place on the Canadian border under the regime of the national system. A future generation, there can be little doubt, will review the whole customs law and practices of our day with amazement. Step by step the acts have been more stringent and more tyrannical. They abound in presumptions against innocence and the liberty of the subject. In their constant onus in favor of forfeitures and official oppressions they adopt the principles of modern Turkey. Such legislation would not have seemed strange in France under the old regime, or in England before the days of Hampden. But its existence is a degradation of the statute books of a free people. It is the greatest mark of relaxation of public spirit when a nation suffers the principles of liberty, and the safeguards of the public to be set aside for the sake of helping the government to collect revenue more easily It is a testimony to the effect of the enslavement of party that majorities in successive parliaments should have become so completely deadened to a sense of their duties, as the guardians of the principles of individual freedom, as to pass and confirm these laws, at the bidding of the exchequer, almost without comment." An arraignment like this, coming from a man who is now prominent among the Conservative candidates in an election contest is rather significant. No Liberal could have written a more forcible condemnation of the "National" Policy, to which the Conservative government hang as to a sheet anchor. Mr. Howland is far from being alone among Conservatives in his objections to the rotten N. P.

IRREDEEMABLE PROMISES.

Electors here and there are urged by government henchmen and government organs to vote for the Davie government because of the roads and bridges and other public works they are to get in return. We do not know that it is strictly accurate to describe this as an attempt to bribe the people with their own money, for as a matter of fact the people have not got the money. There are actually no funds in the treasury to pay for the extra works which are promised on behalf of the government. We have already shown that by Mr. Turner's own figures the government has pledged more than all the money available for the coming year for the ordinary expenditure of that year. That, however, is too favorable a showing for the government, since the finance minister included in his revenue estimates several sums in the shape of taxes and arrears which it is morally certain he will not get. He included also the two sums of borrowed money, namely, the $90,000 remnant of the million dollar loan and the $130,000 of sinking fund released by the conversion of bonds. Then he took no account of the trust funds already used during the year just closing, which the province may be called on to repay at any time. Taking all these facts into consideration, and letting Mr. Turner put the very best face he can on the state of affairs, it will be seen that the ordinary operations of the coming year will be sure to leave the province in a very bad financial hole. There would be a great deal more money spent than the finance minister can possibly reckon upon receiving in the ordinary way. To complicate the situation, the floods have come and caused a great deal of damage that must be repaired at once. Premier Davie has told the Ottawa people that the province can take care of all the relief work needed, and that in itself will be no small burden, but the replacing of roads, bridges, etc., washed away by the floods will be much heavier. We have asked where all this money is to come from, since the treasury is worse than empty, and perhaps the premier or the finance minister, or both, will kindly explain this to the electors in the course of some of their campaign wanderings. Perhaps they will also explain where they are to find the funds to implement all the promises made on behalf of the government in various districts. Such promises would have been bad enough if the treasury had been full to overflowing, but the case is much worse when pledges of further expenditure are made in face of the fact that the available funds are already heavily overpledged.

CARIBOO STAGE ROBBERY.

One Masked Man Compels the Driver to Stand and Deliver.

Superintendent Hussey left this morning for Cariboo to endeavor to apprehend the man or men who have twice during the past month stopped and robbed the Cariboo stage. A telegram received last evening, stating that the stage had been robbed yesterday, caused Superintendent Hussey to make this move. The following dispatch to the Times gives particulars of the robbery:

Ashcroft, June 26.—One masked man with a rifle stopped the Cariboo stage going south, about three miles south of 150-Mile House yesterday. He compelled the driver to deliver the express. The iron box was found not far away cut open with a sharp instrument. The amount stolen is not yet known.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Miners to Hold a Mass Meeting on Friday Evening.

The case of Constable McLean, for assault, was again brought up in the police court yesterday, when the young girl whom it is alleged Stewart insulted was present and gave evidence. Counsel for both sides fought hard for their clients, but the magistrate's decision will not be given till late this afternoon.

A mass meeting of the miners will take place on the "green" on Friday morning to consider the question of the ten and five per cent. reduction, as the men are now in working order.

A grand reunion of Foresters will be held in this city on July 21st.

A meeting of the creditors of G. Bevilockway is called for July 4th in this city.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The house of Thomas Martin, of Chaffee township, Muskoka, was struck by lightning and his wife and son killed. His other children were stunned.

Dr. C. W. Colby, son of Hon. C. C. Colby, of Stanstead, has been appointed lecturer in English language, literature and history at McGill university.

The marriage has been registered at London of Henry Keyes, aged 76, widower, to Lucetta Hill, a widow of 60 summers, a resident of Westminster.

It is stated that the general managership of the Standard Bank has been offered to James C. Plummer, assistant general manager of the Bank of Commerce.

W. A. Parsons and Frank Skeels have been drowned off Queen's Park, Toronto, by the upsetting of a canoe. A lad, Walter Bulwer, was drowned while in bathing.

In Biddulph township, near Lucan, a farmer named Ed. Boyens shot a young man named Bains. Boyens claims it was an accidental shooting. He was arrested.

The collector for J. Butcher, a Toronto grocer, was held up at the point of a revolver by three men in broad daylight, on Gerrard street east, and robbed of all the money in his possession, nearly $200.

Owing to the disturbance at the Liberal meeting in the new Massey music hall, Toronto, and the damage done to furniture, the trustees have decided to allow no more political meetings to be held there.

E. Wylie Grier of Toronto has received from the committee appointed by the Oxford friends of Goldwin Smith a commission to paint the portrait of the professor to be hung on the walls of Bodelain Library at Oxford.

There is great excitement in Fredericton over the announcement of the conversion to the Roman Catholic faith of Professor Stockley, who occupies the chair of English literature in the University of New Brunswick. He was formerly a Roman Catholic but renounced that faith some years ago.

Brief Locals.

—There will be a special meeting of the council on Friday evening to take up the Jubilee hospital matter and dispose of other unfinished business. There will be no meeting on Monday night, as the day is a holiday, but the regular weekly meeting will be held on Tuesday evening.

—The board of licensing commissioners met this afternoon, but adjourned until Thursday afternoon without doing any business. There are but two matters, [illegible] the application for a permit to sell liquor on the Caledonian grounds on July 4th, to dispose of, and it is believed that both will be settled up on Thursday afternoon.

—A. C. Hoar, of 230 Upper Parliament street, Liverpool, has written to Captain Wise to make inquiries respecting Arthur Hoar, a youth of 18, who was last heard from in Victoria on November 6th last. He had at that time unsuccessfully endeavored to secure a berth on ships going to England. He expected to go to Nanaimo to work a passage from there to San Francisco on a collier, and endeavor there to procure a place on a homeward bound vessel. He had injured himself working on a vessel here, and his people are naturally anxious to hear from him. He had spoken in his letters of two Methodist clergymen who had been kind to him, but their names are not mentioned.

—John Cook, proprietor of the Bee Hive saloon, was this afternoon committed for trial for keeping a common gaming house, after a hearing in the police court which lasted all day. The charge grew out of the inquiry into the case of Eugene Barnard for attempting to commit suicide. The information was laid under section 198 of the code, and F. B. Gregory applied to have it tried summarily under sections 783 and 784. The magistrate held that the latter sections did not refer to a gaming house. There was a lengthy discussion as to what constituted a disorderly house and a gaming house. There was a large amount of evidence, particularly as to the ethics of black-jack.

THE CAMPAIGN.

Mr. Wardle at Ashcroft Makes a Strong Plea for Support.

Ashcroft, June 20.—Mr. Jas. Wardle, of Hope, the government candidate for Yale, was invited to lay his views before the electors of Ashcroft and neighborhood at a public meeting. When he proceeded to do so it happened his views consisted principally of violently waving his hat, in the manner of some heroic captain of a straggling rearguard, who, thinking his general in secure possession of a captured town, and his imagination filled with ideas of rich booty, urges his followers on to be in time for the division. He begged the people of Ashcroft to sustain the present government, that was preparing to bestow great benefits on them. He warned them that the opposition party were all for themselves, thoroughly selfish, whilst it was a well known fact that the government party were not self-seeking, wanting nothing for themselves or friends, but were straining every nerve to help the settlers to become happy and prosperous, by opening to them the contents of the provincial treasury.

The electors were strangely apathetic under this appeal. There did not appear to be any rush to raid the public treasury at Victoria; some enemy of Mr. Wardle's must have whispered around that the public chest was empty. But it was noticed after the meeting that upon one gentleman a great effect had been produced; he was weeping tears of disappointment that his name was not on the list. He has been wasting precious years following President Cleveland, and now when a call for volunteers is made to divide the rich spoils in possession of the victorious general that has captured British Columbia he has to stand aside. Hence the tears. However, it is one thing to imagine you are leading on a band of spoilsmen and another thing to be blown up by a mine.

Mr. Semlin followed in a magnificent speech. He must have exploded about a ton of dynamitic facts under Mr. Wardle and his imaginary followers, because he has not been seen since, and not a scrap of a follower can be found, barring the lachrymose man.

Nanaimo, June 26.—Mr. R. Smith had a successful meeting at Wellington on Saturday night and several who were present have ventured the opinion that had it taken place a week previously Mr. Bryden would not have put up his $200 deposit.

The reception given to Dr. Walkem on Saturday night would discomfort almost any individual but the doctor is somewhat exceptional and has since asserted that the meeting was decidedly in the favor of the government. It has since leaked out that the cause of so much laughter which took place when the doctor rose to speak on Saturday night was on account of his somewhat elaborate attire. Usually the doctor possesses a flow of eloquent language but when he called the audience jackasses it could hardly be said to be eloquence.

Premier Davie has stated that a government meeting will be held in the near future but it is questionable whether he will again make his appearance before a public audience in this city. The people do not look upon his august person with any too much favor as was clearly evinced when he attempted to occupy more than his allotted time on Saturday night.

THE LATE W. B. GLADWIN.

A Prominent and Highly Respected Resident's Funeral.

Ashcroft, June 20.—Yesterday we buried our leading townsman, the late W. B. Gladwin. The Rev. Mr. Yolland preached the funeral sermon. The Oddfellows and the Pioneer society had the funeral in charge. The lamented deceased was from early days one of the prominent men of the great interior. He was for years at Yale the active partner of the widely known forwarding firm of Kimball & Gladwin. He had business relations with every merchant, rancher and freighter, and from first to last retained the confidence and respect of all his patrons. Upon the completion of the railway to Ashcroft in 1886 he removed there, continuing the business in his own name, Mr. Kimball having died at Yale the previous year.

To Mr. Gladwin in a large measure is due the success of the agricultural society's shows at Ashcroft and Kamloops, and the society honored him by making him president for 1893. His was a liberal hand; churches and societies of all kinds found in him a liberal and cheerful giver, and though remaining an American citizen his love for this province found expression in helping along every public improvement and in encouraging the mining industry of the province. Although no lover of sport, no man was more liberal in encouraging our biennial public sports and horseracing.

TENT CATERPILLARS AND THE WOOLLY APHIS.

To the Editor—The tent caterpillars are playing havoc with the foliage of our fruit and ornamental trees. It is usually easy to destroy them by cutting and burning the infected branches, or using a torch made of a piece of cloth saturated with coal oil, tied to the end of a stick. In either case the operation should be performed early in the morning before the insects have left their web, or in the evening after they have returned.

That most pernicious insect the woolly aphis is now showing itself in masses of white, woolly substance, beneath which are the insects. It may be kept in check by the following methods. Soak four pounds of waste tobacco in about nine gallons of hot water for four or five hours. Dissolve one pound of whale oil soap in one gallon of hot water. Strain the tobacco decoction into the dissolved soap and apply the mixture to infected trees with a spray pump, using a fine nozzle and all the force possible. Or the mixture may be applied directly to the insects with a swab or brush. They may also be killed by touching them with a swab dipped in coal oil, but care must be used, as coal oil will injure the trees if used too freely. The spraying should be done on a cloudy day, or in early morning or evening, to avoid injury to foliage.

R. M. PALMER,
Provincial Inspector of Fruit Pests.

Open for Business.

The Northern Pacific railroad is now open for through trains to St. Paul and all points east. First through train since the floods will start east to-day.

E. E. BLACKWOOD,
Ticket Agent, Victoria, B.C.
Victoria, June 14, 1894.

WILL DIVIDE THEIR VOTES.

To the Editor: At the meeting of Scandinavians and government candidates (Mr. Braden being absent) recently in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, the dead walls of the hall were relieved by one or two startling legends. The motto, "Brains, Energy and Progress," caught the eye quicker and impressed itself more indelibly upon the logical mind of the hard-headed and honest Scandinavian than the solicitation, "Vote for the Government," which explained in four words the object of the meeting. Mr. Wahlberg, a sort of organizer for the government, addressed the meeting. He thought that his countrymen were entitled to farms in British Columbia and that they could get them for the asking. Mr. Turner said of course they could get farms free, and asked his hearers to write to their friends and inform them that British Columbia was the place for them. Mr. Turner also eulogised the C. P. R., and argued, if his arguments meant anything at all, that there was no need of another road. Mr. Rithet spoke sensibly, as he usually does, and ingenuously remarked that he was working for himself and the good of the country. Harry Helmcken impressed me more favorably than the other speakers, largely because he succeeded in demonstrating, as clearly as though he were discussing a cardinal principle in law, that the "Brains, Energy and Progress" of the country were all concentrated in the government, and that they, the candidates, were the government's prophets. There were thirty-seven gentlemen present, and they were certainly representative men of the several nationalities embraced under the name Scandinavian. About half of them were voters, and at least three-fourths of those who are voters will either vote against all or a part of the government ticket.

NORSEMAN.

American News.

Boston, Mass., June 26.—At noon yesterday Mrs. Anne Kapchowsky, known as Mme. Londonderry, Margaret Deland and Miss Cohen started on a bicycle trip from the state house steps around the world. The terms of wager were that she would start with one suit of clothes, not a penny, do the trip in ten months, pay her own way and bring back $15,000. The bet is made between two prominent sugar men, and is of $10,000 against $20,000. Mrs. Kapchowsky was presented with one cent for wearing the white ribbon of the W. C. T. U., and a firm of Springwater people gave her $100 for advertising them by hanging a placard on her wheel. She then went to a photograph gallery where she got a great many pictures taken to sell along the road. She is of Polish descent. She has been an advertising solicitor.

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Ticket Agent.

Marine.

The collier Wellington is at the outer wharf for inspection.

E. B. Marvin & Co. have received a letter from Captain Cox, who is at Hakodate, saying that the schooner Annie E. Paint arrived there on June 7th with 1150 sealskins.

PERSONAL.

H. E. Levy arrived on the Rosalie this morning.

J. A. Fullerton and son, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

Rev. A. A. Green was a passenger from Lulu Island to-day.

R. L. Fox arrived in the city on the Rosalie this morning.

P. A. Paulson and Mrs. Paulson, of Tacoma, are in the city.

Stanley Saylor, of Toronto, is in the city on a business trip.

Mrs. G. Brougham and family leave for California this evening.

Geo. McFarlane and J. L. Dalgleish, of Edinburgh, are at the Driard.

Bishop Perrin leaves for Tacoma this evening on the City of Kingston.

Sir G. Harleigh and E. S. Brown, of London, passed through the city last evening on their way south.

Frank Adams, of the firm of E. B. Marvin & Co., left this morning for Yokohama on the Empress of Japan.

Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries department, and J. A. Thompson, inspector of steamboats, returned from New Westminster to-day.

How to Get a "Sunlight" Picture.

Send 25 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers (wrappers bearing the words "Why Does a Woman Look Old Sooner Than a Man?") to Lever Brothers, Limited, 43 Scott street, Toronto, Ont., and you will receive by post a pretty picture, free from advertising and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market, and will only cost 1c postage to send in wrappers, if you leave the ends open. Write your address carefully.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—Shaving 10c. 101 Douglas street. *

—Garden Hose at McLennan & McFeely's. *

—Fine fishing rods and tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

—Rene Quentin's latest painting is exhibited in the window of Lombard's store.

—The steamer Maude leaves on Saturday evening at 8 sharp for Clayoquot and way ports.

—Dominion lodge, No. 4, I. O. O. F., paid a fraternal visit to Acme lodge of the same order last night.

—The candidates nominated for the legislature in Comox district are Joseph Hunter and Dr. Scharschmidt.

—St. Paul's church was the scene last evening of a very pleasant social. An interesting programme was presented.

—The K. of P. lodge will on Sunday next visit Ross Bay cemetery and decorate the graves of the departed brethren.

—Some very pretty Japanese crepes to hand, new designs and colors. Our lady patrons will be glad to hear the news. Weiler Bros.

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra call and other superior binding at R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

—A pretty little girl carrying one of those charming parasols that Partridge, 86 Yates street, sells at 25 cents, is worth seeing.

—The ladies of the St. John's Guild desire to express their sincere thanks to the many who assisted in the Busy Bees' entertainment on Tuesday evening, June 19th.

—The children of the Central church Sunday school will have their annual picnic at Langford Plains on Saturday. All of the regular trains will stop at the grounds.

—The Sunday school anniversary of Victoria West Methodist church was celebrated on Sunday last with appropriate exercises in Semple's hall. The morning and evening sermons were preached by Rev. J. Turner, the new pastor, who has just arrived from Kootenay, and the afternoon service by Rev. S. Cleaver.

—Miss Phelps, the Dominion lecturer for the W. C. T. U., delivered her first Victoria lecture at Temperance Hall last evening. Rev. Baldwin occupied the chair. Mrs. Morrow introduced Miss Phelps to the large audience. The lecturer spoke at some length on the evils of the saloon. She was followed by Rev. Baldwin, who briefly addressed the meeting.

—Chief Sheppard has received the following letter from Thomas Sheppard of "Bron Brigog, Buckley, N. Chester, North Wales. Dear Sir: I am sending the enclosed photo to see if you can give me any information of the original, John C. Balmain, who came to Vancouver Island about 1878. He had a wife and two children when he left England—a little boy and girl. His wife died about eight years ago. If anything has happened to the said Balmain, what has become of the children, Kathleen Mary and Andrew Balmain."

—The Good Templars entertained a large audience at Oddfellows Hall, Spring Ridge, last evening. The programme was: Address, chairman, Mr. Cooper; instrumental duet, Mrs. Townsend and Mr. Mallette; recitation, Miss Dwyer; recitation, Miss Banfield; song, Mr. Pilling; club swinging, Miss Barker; vocal duet, Cave brothers; song, Sapper Jones; (refreshments), comic song, Mr. A. Cave; recitation, Miss Ure; song, Mr. C. D. Ayton; recitation, Miss Coles, and songs, W. Cave, Mr. Pilling, Sapper Jones, Mr. C. D. Ayton and Mr. Parker.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Sehl, wife of Jacob Sehl, took place this morning at 10.30 o'clock, and was very largely attended. The cortege left the house at that hour and proceeded to St. Andrew's Roman Catholic church, where nearly every member of the congregation was assembled. A requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Nicolaye, who also conducted services at the grave. The floral offerings were numerous and very beautiful. The pall bearers were Jos. Loewen, Thos. Geiger, Thos. Burnes, B. VanVolkenburg, Geo. Stelly and J. P. Pelletier.

—A serious accident occurred at a point four miles below Green Slide, B. C., on Tuesday last, by which two men were seriously injured. The accident was caused by the premature explosion of a blast. Patrick Bowden, foreman of the gang, was inspecting the blast at the time and had his eyes injured to the extent that he may lose the sight of one of them. He was taken to Revelstoke for treatment. One of the men in the gang, a Swede, was so pitted with sand and gravel that he is in a very critical condition, and his recovery is doubtful.

—The City of Topeka calls here to-morrow on her way to Alaska.

—The steamer Umatilla is due this evening from San Francisco.

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

—An opposition meeting is to be held at Philharmonic hall to-morrow evening.

—J. Griffith has donated a site at Garnham, on the Coquitz river, for a public hall.

—The contemplated visit of the garrison artillery to Vancouver on Dominion day has been "declared off."

—Watch for the moon and keep your eye on the Lansdowne House for a 10c. picnic hat.

—J. W. Carey was convicted in the police court this morning of a breach of the health by-law, and was fined $5 with $2.50 costs added.

—Don't try to get dress stuffs that the moths have eaten when Partridge, 86 Yates street, offers you this season's goods at sale prices.

—Isaac Roberts was convicted in the police court his morning of being found drunk. He was fined $5 with the alternative of ten days in jail.

—The charge against Ewen Morrison of a breach of the revenue by-law was dismissed by Magistrate Macrae, the prosecution having failed to prove its case.

—Captain Robertson, opposition; and Mr. Booth, government, will address the electors of Sidney to-morrow night. It is understood that Mr. Davie will be present.

—At the regular meeting of Segher's Council, No. 85, Y. M. I., last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, John Leonard; first vice-president, H. J. O'Leary; second vice-president, A. Schroeder; recording secretary, T. P. Sehl; corresponding secretary, J. J. McKenna; financial secretary, Rev. J. H. Van Nevel; treasurer, F. J. Sehl; marshal, J. J. Delehanty; inside sentinel, W. Devereux; outside sentinel, D. Madden; executive committee, F. H. Lang, W. Stewart, L. Gray, A. Doucett and E. Blaquiere.

—The last of those delightful conversaziones will be held to-night by the ladies of the Reformed Episcopal church. As the programme will be of unusual excellence it is expected a large audience will be present to partake of the genial hospitality always accorded by the R. E. people. As before stated, the refreshments, always a feature of these occasions, will be par excellence, and a most enjoyable time is promised all round. Those who have kindly consented to take part are Mrs. G. Clement King, Mrs. Gordon, Miss Wey, Mr. Tompkinson, Mr. Skene, Messrs. Middleton and Russell and W. Ralph Higgins.

—The programme of the concert to be given by the garrison artillery band at Mount Baker hotel, Oak Bay, to-morrow evening is below. The concert begins at 8.15 sharp.

1. March—"2nd Regt. Conn. Nat. Guard" ..... Reeves
2. Overture—"Martha" ..... Flotow
3. Bolero—"Souvenir de Cadiz" ..... Bosisio
4. Concerto for Euphonium ..... Rollinson
   Mr. Daniel Wales, Soloist.
5. Waltz—"Marlen" ..... Ellenberg
6. Dance Characteristic—"On the Levee" with imitation of sand jig and clog dancing ..... Collins
7. Selection from Verdi's Opera—"Macbeth" ..... Arr. by Claus
8. March—"Men of Harlech" ..... Godfrey
   "God Save the Queen."

—The production of "Faust," which will be seen at the Victoria theatre on Friday and Saturday evenings next, June 29th and 30th, is bringing fame and fortune to that rising young actor, Mr. John Griffith, and he and his adequate company are deserving of a demonstrative audience. Goethe's great work is familiar to every intelligent person, it is a legend for the good to adhere to and a terror for the bad to shun. The company carry a special car to transport the wealth of scenic, mechanical and electric effects and for the latter a complete electric plant. The stage effects which are in command of this company are spectacular elements developed to the fullest extent. Among them will be seen the "cross fire" and the beautiful electric "flower bed," which are marvels of beauty. "Faust" as a whole will prove a spectacular revelation to the city. There will be a grand family matinee on Saturday afternoon.

—The steamship Empress of Japan, Captain George A. Lee, sailed for the Orient at 10 o'clock this morning. She arrived down here between 8 and 9 o'clock, and was met off the harbor by the tender Sadie. A few cabin and steerage passengers boarded the ship here. She carried the following cabin passengers: Frank Adams, Victoria; Mrs. Anton, Misses Anton, Mr. Anton, England; Mr. Armond, New York; R. Blakenburg, Philadelphia; B. E. Brackenbury, Eng.; Mrs. L. C. Case, Master B. Case, Master R. Case, Chicago; W. W. Dickinson, New York; Mrs. J. M. Farrar, St. Paul; F. Firns, Yokohama; Mr. Greig, New York; A. W. Hunt, England; K. Harosawa, Tokio; P. S. Keller, Harry E. Keller, Philadelphia; D. W. Lawrance, London; H. Madgeburg, New York; M. Matsugate, Tokio; Mr. Milne, Manchester; C. W. Palmie, New York; J. W. Thomas, Manchester; J. R. Tweed, England; R. W. Riddle, Philadelphia; Alfred Shaw, England; H. Vogel, New York; Chevalier Charles de Waepemaert, Antwerp; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Winn, Master Winn, Kansas City.

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Good until July 10th.

—The four a side association foot ball and tug of war should not be missed at the Caledonian picnic on the Fourth of July.

—The stonecutters at the government buildings have not yet returned to work, the contractors not yet having ordered them to proceed.

—There is positively no reserve put off the Mount Tolmie property to be sold at auction on Thursday next at 2 p.m. by H. Cuthbert & Co. *

—The steamer Danube returned from New Westminster to-day, bringing eastern mail and a number of through passengers, but no through freight.

—Ald. Wilson has a motion on the bulletin board at the city hall for the election of J. H. Todd, W. J. Macaulay and B. W. Pearse as sewerage commissioners as provided in section 1 of the sewerage commissioners by-law.

—To-morrow afternoon the Ladies' Aid of the First Presbyterian church will open their sale of work. A concert will be held in the evening. A twenty-five cent admission to the concert includes strawberries and cream.

—The terms of sale of the Mount Tolmie property on Thursday next at auction by H. Cuthbert & Co. are one-quarter cash, balance in equal instalments at six, twelve and eighteen months. Interest at 7 per cent. In the announcement of the sale the terms are mentioned by mistake as half cash.

—The repairs to the ship Benmore are progressing very favorably, and it is believed that they will be finished by Wednesday of next week. A number of the ship's plates were removed entirely and new ones put in instead and the damage to the stern post repaired. The ship will reload as soon as she leaves the dock.

—H. M. S. Royal Arthur weighed anchor at nine o'clock this morning and sailed for Port Townsend and Seattle. She will make a very short stay at each place and will steam to Vancouver, arriving there about Sunday next. H. M. S. Pheasant and the two torpedo boats, Nos. 39 and 40, sailed for Vancouver direct at 1 o'clock.

—A full supply of portfolios—America Photographed and Canada—now on hand at Times office. Subscribers who have not secured back numbers can get them now. When the present supply of the parts already issued is exhausted no more orders for them will be filled. In the meantime, however, several hundred new orders for the complete series can be filled.

—The British ship Vera Jean, Captain Crowley, 38 days from Shanghai, arrived in the road this morning, having been brought in by Captain Babbington. She is here for orders, and will very likely load lumber. Her ballast shifted on the way out, but as there was little wind afterwards she did not have any trouble. She had light southerly winds during the entire voyage.

—The champion strawberries of the year have been grown at Ashley's Fairview Cottage, Esquimalt road. Mrs. Ashley this morning brought to the city four berries that weighed over eleven ounces. Three of them tipped the scales at half a pound. The berries have nicely ripened and are very fine. Mr. Ashley says that he will give $5 to any one who can equal the record of the four berries.

—In point of attendance, excellency of programme, refreshments, etc., the social in St. Paul's church, Victoria West, last evening was most successful. A good musical programme by the choir, under Mr. A. Moir's direction, with short, interesting and pithy addresses by Rev. R. G. Murison, W. L. Clay and A. B. Winchester, with the most interesting feature of all, violin duets by Masters Robie and Ralph Fisher, four and a half and six years of age, with a short address by the pastor, who presided, fully satisfied all present.

—Captain Robertson, the opposition candidate for South Victoria, drove into the city this morning from Sidney and returned in the afternoon. Captain Robertson expected to have an opportunity to address the electors this evening on the Chinese question, upon which he has much to say, but the opposition meeting had been called for to-morrow night, when the captain is billed to speak at Sidney, and consequently could not remain over. The contest in South Victoria is being vigorously carried on, the captain feeling sanguine as to the result.

—The lawyers and commission merchants have changed their minds about not taking any practice for the great lacrosse game on Saturday. Those who know the game are brushing up their old points, while those who know nothing about it are being shown how to pick the ball up and throw. Herbert Robertson, of the lawyers, went to the grounds for practice last evening, and developed such speed that the merchants are going to protest him. He played rings around everybody, and it develops that he was once one of Chatham's stars. Captain Mills is taking great interest in the game, and hopes to pilot his team to victory. Robert Cassidy will sit on the beach, probably as a compliment to his bright future. Tom Allice, of the merchants, is anxious to know who his check is going to be.

FROM ALASKA.

News Brought by the Steamer City of Topeka.

The steamship City of Topeka, which arrived from southeastern Alaska on Sunday, brought the news that the ringleader of the band of Indians who killed two unknown white men near Spakan, north of Prince of Wales island, was recently arrested and taken to Juneau for trial. Officers assert that the Indians threatened the posse and they were unable to effect the arrest of the others. United States marshals will make an effort to capture the other Indians implicated in the murders.

News from Sitka states a warrant has been issued for the arrest of a Russian priest located near Unalaska for abduction. Alaska papers say the priest is addicted to alcoholic indulgence. Some weeks ago he performed a marriage ceremony, and afterwards refused to permit the bride to accompany her husband, saying such command was inspired from heaven. This action came near precipitating a riot. The husband rallied a few friends and threatened the priest with bodily injury if his wife was not released. He got her and went to Sitka for a warrant.

A premature explosion of nitro-glycerine on Douglas island seriously injured three persons. Samuel Laird will die and Harry Wilson is badly wounded.

A distressing story comes from Chilcat relative to witchcraft practiced by Indians. An Indian sorceress starved a woman to death, keeping her tied up in a tent seven days, as the woman was believed to be a witch. Several other cases are repotred. The Indian doctor is lodged in jail at Sitka, charged with murder.

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AT A PARSEE WEDDING.

Interesting Customs Crowded Out by European Manners.

The Parsee gentlemen are charming. The Parsee women are delicate in appearance, refined and womanly and rather stupid. They are very hard to get acquainted with, or at least to pass beyond the barriers of slight acquaintance. There are no men in the world more kind to women than Parsee men. But they do not regard those women as their intellectual fellows, nor do the women aspire to be so regarded. This simplifies the Parsee marriage amazingly, simplifies it to the loss of the men and the gain of the women.

The Parsees are in a transition state. The customs that they all rigidly observed fifty years ago are now observed by less than half their number, and rarely with entire rigidity. The Parsee wedding is picturesque in the extreme, but before long it will be modernised to such an extent that it will cease to be novel.

Invitations to weddings are usually given by the priests, and only when a special compliment is intended does the father of one of the contracting parties go in person to bid the guests.

Child marriages are still, I believe, a part of the Parsee code, but not of the Parsee custom. Children are still betrothed very young, but not often.

At a marriage where both bride and groom belonged to prominent Parsee families in Bombay the groom and his friends marched to the house of the bride at four o'clock in the afternoon. The men were all dressed in white and looked very handsome, for almost every well to do Parsee man is handsome. A band of music was with the procession, and played unceasingly. Formerly the Parsee women formed a part of every Parsee marriage procession, but on this occasion there were men only. The bridegroom's mother had preceded him to the house of the bride, bearing with her the prescribed gift of a dress. At the end of the procession walked a score or more of coolies carrying on their heads shallow baskets heaped with cocoanuts. At every turn of the street a cocoanut was waved above the bridegroom's head, then broken and thrown away. Some time before the bride's house was reached her only sister met the procession, carrying three silver chatties. Into the upper one the bridegroom dropped a rupee. That was symbolical of his determination never to fail to befriend his wife's family.

At the threshold of the house an aunt of the bride threw rice and water and an uncooked egg beneath the feet of the groom. Then she welcomed him, and he was careful to put his right foot in before the left.

The women were waiting in a large, handsomely furnished room. The Parsee ladies all sat on small silk carpets that had been placed for them on the floor. The men all sat about the walls on low, narrow, backless benches. The father of the bride and the father of the groom sat side by side, and the chief priest blessed them. In the centre of the room a low platform of stone had been built. This is called the "wedding booth." Sometimes a complete booth is erected and richly decorated, but not invariably. The stone foundation must be laid. It denotes purity and chastity. Chastity, in the best and broadest sense, is the beginning and end of the Parsee religion. Two chairs were placed side by side upon the stone foundation. Then the bride came in with her mother.

The contracting couple were seated upon the chairs that were upon the stone. They were facing each other. Then the ceremony proper began. A priest tied their right hands together with a soft silken, bright red thread. Two younger priests stepped forward, carrying a large piece of yellow cloth. This they held between the bride and groom. The chief priest stood near them. He held in one hand a lighted censor and in the other a dish of benjamin. Another priest gave a handful of rice to both the groom and bride. The chief priest began a long prayer. At a certain word, for which the young couple listened intently, he threw the incense into the fire. At that word the young couple threw the rice into each other's faces. Then their position was changed and they were placed side by side. Two of the priests stood before them and two witnesses stood beside them, holding brass plates heaped with rice. The priests began the marriage blessing. This they recited in Zend and Sanskrit. At every sentence they pelted the couple with rice.

Then the priest put the two questions, "Have you espoused her?" and "Have you espoused him?" He was answered, "Yes, I have espoused her," "Yes, I have espoused him." The questions and the answers were in Persian.

After the marriage benediction there were other ceremonies more fanciful and less interesting. The husband and wife ate out of one dish and each found in it a ring.

The marriage feast followed in an adjoining room. Upon the floor of the dining room were laid long silken carpets. They were about [illegible] and about fifty feet long. Upon them the guests seated themselves. They had plaintain leaves for plates and used fingers for forks.

Except in the matter of hats and caps many Parsee men on ordinary occasions dress like Europeans. Women do not wear the European dress, in which respect they are superior to the Japanese women, whom they are like in being fragile, pretty and dainty.—New York Advertiser.

THE TERMITES.

Destructive Proclivities of the White Ants of Africa.

The scientific traveller, Max Buchner, tells us how we may picture to ourselves the savannahs of Central Africa: "First sprinkle a few million brick-red, irregular pyramids of the termite or white ant over a brick-red surface, in the proportion of at least, five to the hectare (2 1-2 acres). Next, take about four times this number of trees, and distribute them so that there shall be twenty, more or less, to the hectare. Then distribute, in like proportion, an equal number of bushmen. Finally fill up the intervening spaces with clumps of high grass, just far enough apart to render visible the red earth between. Do this, and you will have a faithful representation of the open African forest, but little influenced by the destructive hand of man."

The presence of these white ant pyramids is the characteristic feature of the African landscape. The builders of these structures are not ants, but belong to the much smaller family of termites. There is scarcely an insect so thoroughly hated by man as the termite, and the hatred is fully justified. "There are regions in Africa," writes a traveller, "of which it is safe to say that if a man with a wooden leg were to lie down to sleep at night nothing of the leg would be visible in the morning save a little sawdust." The termites gnaw away everything; the balconies and posts of the houses, tables, chairs, wardrobes, books, leather, cloth—in fact, little comes amiss to them except iron—though, strange to say, on the authority of Franz-Leuschner, they will not touch the European pine and fir timber brought to Africa for building purposes. The evidence of the destructive labors of the termites are to be seen on every side; but the creatures themselves are rarely seen. They steal sneakingly to their labors. They are all blind with the exception of the king and the queen, and all defenceless save the soldier caste, which constitutes about one or two per cent. of the population. To escape starvation they must leave their subterranean homes or pyramids in search of dead woods, and, because of their blindness, they render themselves invisible as the best mode of defence.

If one had an opportunity to observe the insect in his work of destruction, the sight is really a most remarkable one. Here is an opening in the earth. A little head appears in it, with a pellet of clay in the jaws; the pellet is laid down, and soon another head appears with another pellet covered with viscid salivary secretion, by means of which the pellets are fastened together. In this manner, by incessant toil, a small clay tube is constructed, and prolonged until it strikes against a piece of dead timber, the soldier termites guarding the opening from hostile insects the while. The termites then knaw their way into the timber, eating or removing the whole inner contents, leaving only a thin outer shell. These tubular passages, made by the termites, are even more wonderful than their pyramids. They are about the diameter of a small gaspipe, and are frequently carried in a zigzag course by the termites on the trunk of a tree in search for a dry branch. One may travel for hours and not find a single tree without one of these passages.

In spite of their destructive proclivities, the termites perform much useful work. There is a certain neatness in the open park-like scenery of Central Africa which strikes one immediately. It gives one the impression that it is scrupulously swept and cared for, and one asks himself, involuntarily, what good fairy maintains such perfect neatness and order in the wilds? There are, indeed, forest keepers of various species, who are continually occupied in the removal of all dead animal matter, from the fallen elephant to the dead fly, and who bury in the purifying earth what they cannot consume. What these do for animal remains, the termite does for the vegetable kingdom. Every trunk, branch, twig, or old bark layer, the moment it is smitten with death, is attacked by the white ants who subsist on it, and whose numbers are limited only by their means of subsistence. The balance between them and the vegetable kingdom is thus maintained by natural law.

If we examined their pyramids, we find that the interior contains innumerable chambers connected by passages. There are store-rooms, breeding-rooms and nurseries. The chamber of the queen is near the ground, and frequently below the surface. Each of these settlements may be taken as representing a kingdom whose people are divided into distinctive castes, with division of labor. First, there are those engaged in the perpetuation of the species. There is only one queen in each settlement, and she, when fertilized, is enlarged into a cylindrical-shaped figure, several centimeters long, with nothing in her appearance except her head, to suggest what she is. She is carefully watched and tended and fed by her subjects, and lays eggs upon eggs, many thousands a day, and that for months continuously. The other castes are the soldiers, recognizable by their massive heads, and the workers, with the little round heads. The latter provide the food and nurse the young, and know how to feed the nymphs, so that they can develop a worker into a queen if there is occasion for one, that is, if the reigning queen should die.

The great work of the white ants, analogous to the labor of the worms in temperate climates, is to bring up the subsoil clay to the surface, where it sooner or later mingles with the surface soil, and perhaps gets washed away to form new valleys. One must study the works of these little creatures carefully to form an idea of their extent and importance.—Die Gartenlaube.

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Council Refuses to Cut Licenses to Permit Opium Factories to Run at Profit.

Steinberger Claim Settled—Sewerage Commissioners By-Law Passed.

Mayor Teague presided at the regular meeting of the city council last evening, and all of the board except Ald. Styles were present.

Drake, Jackson & Helmcken presented a letter stating that their client, Mr. Steinberger, was willing to accept $650 in full payment for all damages to his property at Elk lake. After a lengthy discussion on the question of whether they were including the land encroached upon or only the buildings, and whether it would be advisable to pay for any such land, it was decided on motion of Ald. Humphrey to pay the claim, the same to be a settlement in full, as stated by the letter.

F. W. MacReady, superintendent of the tramway, wrote pointing out the expense which the company had been to in the improvements at the James Bay bridge, stating what its rights were, and again proposing that if the city would furnish six men the company would furnish six men and all of the material for the work, the same to be done to the satisfaction of the city engineer.

Ald. Baker explained that it would cost the city $30 to do its part, and urged that the terms be accepted.

His motion in that direction, seconded by Ald. Wilson, was carried.

McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard, writing on behalf of the opium manufacturers, asked for a reduction in the city licenses. The letter pointed out the fact that there was a general depression in the United States, that opium was made on a narrow margin, and that as circumstances now combined they could not exist.

Ald. Vigelius moved to refer to the finance committee.

Ald. Dwyer moved to receive and file. He did not have much sympathy for Chinese, and particularly for the manufacturers of opium.

Ald. Baker agreed with him, saying that he believed the Chinese were the last who should be aided. He seconded the motion.

Ald. Humphrey expressed the hope that the depressed Chinese would go home to China.

The motion of Ald. Dwyer was adopted.

Luther & Dwyer were given permission to put in a patent stone crossing at Yates and Broad streets at their own expense. They were given permission to close that end of Broad street for eight days.

Letters from F. Adams offering to grade in front of sub-section C, section 64, Spring Ridge, for $145, and from A. W. More asking why the council had not kept its promise to put in a sidewalk on the south side of Francis street, were referred to the street committee.

D. T. James, of 28 Elizabeth street, complained that his horse had been injured by a blast set off by city employes. The case will be looked up by Engineer Wilmot.

S. Perry Mills, solicitor for Mrs. C. E. Archibald, wrote asking the city to complete the purchase of a piece of property on School street. The finance committee will investigate the matter.

City Treasurer Kent wrote bringing up the old J. P. Walls and Union club license cases, and complaining that the city barristers refused to push the cases. The council empowered the mayor to again place the matter in the hands of the city barristers, and if they failed to act to engage other legal talent.

City Assessor Northcott wrote re the widening of Cadboro Bay road. He reported that he had written to 48 owners, and had received 21 replies, representing 24 owners. Of these seven were willing to give land or had already done so, 11 would not give, but would sell, 5 wanted to see plans, and 1 would not give but would stand his share of the cost. The letter was received and tabled, and a copy of it will be sent to B. W. Pearse.

W. P. Basset and five others of Caledonia avenue wrote asking for an improvement of the sewerage. It was stated that the cost would be but $20 or $30, and the request was referred to the sewerage committee.

Invitations to attend the St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society picnic and the Vancouver and Whatcom celebrations were all accepted and will be acknowledged.

George Springer wrote saying he was in arrears $8 for water rates, and asking for some corporation work. The letter went to the street committee.

A report from the finance committee recommending the appropriation of $2,857.50 out of the general revenue was read. It was passed.

Requisitions from the school board for $3720 and $516 were passed.

Another report from the finance committee appropriating $1134.60 was favorably acted upon. The sum of $1000 was also appropriated from the surface drainage fund.

While on the last named subject Ald. Munn called attention to the miserable drainage of the fire hall on Pandora street. Ald. Baker also told of its terrors. It was stated that the cost of improvement would be $300. The mayor and fire wardens were directed to have the evil remedied.

Tenders for the isolation hospital ambulance were opened. They were as follows: C. M. Brayshaw, No. 1, $300, No. 2, $225; John Meston, No. 1, $289, No. 2, $253. The tenders were referred to Ald. Ledingham, Ald. Humphreys and the mayor. Ald. Ledingham said he did not care to act further in the matter, but it was agreed that he was most competent to do so.

The street committee reported recommending that Rockland and Jubilee avenues be graded and that Porter's bridge be repaired by day labor by the corporation. The report was adopted.

The sewerage commissioners by-law was reconsidered, adopted and finally passed.

The council went into committee on the rates and taxes by-law. The rate was fixed at 15 mills on both real and personal property. This is a reduction under last year. Taxes will be payable August 30, and the rebate of one-sixth will be allowed all who pay before Oct. 31. The committee rose, reported progress and got leave to sit again.

Ald. Humphrey urged haste in getting to work on the sewerage improvements. He said if need be they had better give the engineer assistance on the plans.

Ald. Munn asked how under the new sewerage scheme was provision to be made for interest and sinking fund.

The mayor said as to the former that the plans would be ready and as to the latter nothing had been done.

A MOSLEM'S WORD.

How an Algerian Chief Kept His Promise to France.

France was never in greater danger of losing her colonies in Africa than during the war with Germany in 1870. The troops were recalled from Africa to take part in the conflict that was going against France, and Algeria was left almost defenceless.

The hour for which the conquered races had long waited had come, and if a holy war had been proclaimed it is probable that the French would have been driven from northern Africa.

But the tribes did not rise while the French had their hands full on the other side of the Mediterranean, and the fact was due to their fidelity to a solemn pledge. Dr. H. M. Field tells in his book, "The Barbary Coast," the story of Moslem fidelity in the face of a great temptation.

When the war broke out a chief of great influence among the tribes, Mokrani, gave his word to the governor-general of Algeria that there would be no insurrection while the war lasted. That word was faithfully kept; disaster after disaster followed the French arms, Napoleon III. surrendered at Sedan and Bazaine at Metz. The defeats of the war culminated in the surrender of Paris. But not a man of the tribes of Kabylia stirred; the Moslem's faith was plighted; the Moslem's faith was kept.

When, however, the last battle had been fought and the treaty of peace had been signed, Mokrani, then released from his word, gave the governor-general notice that in forty-eight hours he would declare war. The tribes rushed to the field; they fought desperately, destroying towns and besieging fortified places.

The French armies, released from duty at home, hurried across the Mediterranean. The end was inevitable. Mokrani, seeing that all was lost, put himself at the head of his warriors and fell fighting foremost in the front. The French erected a monument to mark the spot where this noble enemy perished.

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Stale and watery cow's milk and poorly prepared and indigestible foods are used in too many homes. We know the terrible results. Dysentery, diarrhoea, and cholera infantum almost immediately follow when such foods are administered, and there is little hope for the weak babe.

At this season baby's security and salvation depend upon a daily diet of Lactated Food, the only prepared food that can take the place of mother's milk.

Lactated Food is the only infant nutriment that fully promotes baby's growth and healthy development. Our best physicians are prescribing it daily and sound its praises to every mother.

Mr. Geo. B. Thompson, of Fort Erie, Ont., tells how his infant son was saved by Lactated Food. He writes as follows:

"When our baby Willie was two months old my wife was unable to nurse it owing to illness. Baby declined in health, and although attended by our doctor it grew weaker and seemed to pine away. After trying everything we could think of we heard of Lactated Food, and gave it a trial. Before half a 25 cent tin was used baby was quite improved. Willie is now one year old and has used a great deal of Lactated Food. He cut ten teeth during the hottest part of the summer, and we hardly knew he was cutting them; he has had no dysentery, and is very fat and plump; all these good results we ascribe to Lactated Food. We wish you much prosperity in your work."

Generally the more aimless a boy is the better he likes to run around with a shot-gun.

HOTTER EVEN THAN ST. LOUIS.

A Spot in Persia Where the Thermometer Shows 130 in the Shade.

The hottest region on the earth's surface is on the southwestern coast of Persia, on the borders of the Persian gulf, says an exchange. For forty consecutive days in the months of July and August the mercury has been known to stand above 100 degrees in the shade night and day, and to run up as high as 130 degrees in the middle of the afternoon. At Bahrin, in the centre of the most torrid part of this most torrid belt, as though it were nature's intention to make the place as unbearable as possible water from wells is something unknown. Great shafts have been sunk to a depth of five hundred feet, but always with the same result—no water. Notwithstanding this serious drawback, a numerous population contrives to live there, thanks to copious springs, which burst forth from the bottom of the gulf more than a mile from the shore. The water from these springs is obtained in a most curious and novel manner. Machadores, whose sole occupation is that of furnishing the people of Bahrin with the life-giving fluid, repair to the portion of the gulf where the springs are situated, and bring away with them hundreds of skin bags full of the water each day. The water of the gulf where the springs burst forth is nearly two hundred feet deep, but the machadores—divers—manage to fill their goat skinskin sacks by diving to the bottom and holding the mouths of the bags over the fountain jets; this, too, without allowing the salt water of the gulf to mix with it. The source of these submarine fountains is thought to be in the hills of Osmond, five hundred miles away. Being situated at the bottom of the gulf, it is a mystery how they were ever discovered, but the fact remains that they have been known since the dawn of history.

People with hair that is continually falling out, or those that are bald, can stop the falling, and get a good growth of hair by using Hall's Hair Renewer.

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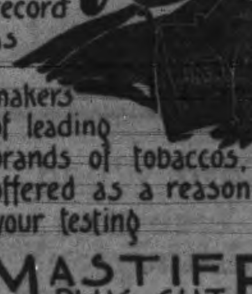

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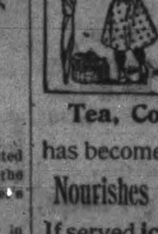

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all dry and comfortable, while those of one's less fortunate friends shiver and endure the old style of waterproof garment. But people are rapidly becoming educated to better things, and the cold, clammy, air-tight rubber waterproof is fast disappearing.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION OF FURNITURE.

Thursday, June 28th, at 11 a.m.

I have been instructed by Mrs. Sangster to sell at her residence, No. 113 Humboldt street, near the Park road, all her furniture, consisting of: Drawing Room—Carpet, rug, lace curtains, walnut table, hanging lamp, mirror, parlor suite, ornaments, chairs, tea tables, b. w. whatnot. Dining Room—Sideboard, bed lounge, sofa, chairs, stove, pictures, lamps, cutlery, window blinds, arm chair, extension dining table. Four Bed-rooms—In oak, ash, cherry and maple bedroom suites, wire and spring mattresses, pillows, bedding, chamber sets, carpets, etc. Kitchen—A fine (nearly new) Jubilee range, granite and tin ware, tea and dinner sets, fruit jars, washtub and board, kitchen table and chairs.

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A portion of the magnificent residential property at Mount Tolmie, Victoria District, owned by the Mount Tolmie Building Association, Limited, comprising about 60 acres, in parcels of 2 to 10 acres to suit purchasers. Also 40 large building lots containing about 1-3 of an acre each, and a new, modern 6-roomed house standing in an acre of ground, all of which will be sold without reserve. TERMS—1-2 cash, balance in 6, 12, and 18 months with interest at 7 per cent. Five per cent. discount for cash, when perfect title will be given. POSITIVELY NO RESERVE.

This is not an attempt to determine the value of this property in the open market, as the vendors know that, in hard times, any property is likely to be sold much under its value. But the Association have to pay taxes on a large tract of valuable land, and they have determined to place this portion of their property on the market at which it will realize in order to meet these obligations. Unlike mortgage sales, there is no upset or reserve price. Every piece of property offered, MUST BE SOLD. An opportunity to get a piece of desirable land so near a city, in a beautiful situation, at any price a man cares to offer, has never occurred in the province before.

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AUCTION

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE LANDS, WADDINGTON ALLEY AND TOPAZ AVENUE

On WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27th, at 11 a.m.

I have been instructed to sell at my salesroom, Wharf street, Victoria, by virtue of a certain mortgage dated 9th March, 1893, and registered 21st April, 1893, in Charge Book Vol. 11, Folio 851, No. 14451 B. in the Lands Registry Office, Victoria, all those pieces or parcels of lands known as, viz., Subdivisions 5 and 6 of Lot 190,

WADDINGTON ALLEY.

Also Part of Lot or Subdiv. 29, being portion of Sec. V., Victoria District, now within within Victoria City, having a frontage of 131 feet on Topaz Avenue and 495 feet on Fourth street, more or less, which is a continuation of Quadra street, and extends through the Tolmie Estate to the [illegible] sold in two lots, the north and south halves. Terms of sale, one half cash, balance on mortgage 7 per cent. per annum.

For further particulars apply to Yates & Jay, Solicitors for the mortgagee, or to GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to sections 12 and 20 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-law, 1894," which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating, except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In North Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In Central Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays, and

In South Ward, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore specified there shall be charged fifty cents additional for each infraction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 15th, 1894.

NOTICE.

Having discontinued the sale of Wellington Coal, my customers will please settle their accounts before the 1st of July next. Present office, Railway Wood and Coal Office, Store street.

Victoria, June 20. W. WALKER.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. DO YOU KEEP IT IN THE HOUSE? IN CANADIAN CHOLERA, DIARRHOEA AND BOWEL COMPLAINTS ITS EFFECT IS MAGICAL.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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REPUBLICANS IN SESSION.

Delegates From All Parts of the United States Assemble at Denver.

The Government Classed as "Tariff-Tinkering, Treasury Depleting," Etc.

Denver, Colo., June 26.—With a roar that might have been heard a block distant from the Broadway theatre the seventh annual convention of the Republican League of the United States was inaugurated this morning. The applause had its origin in the appearance upon the platform of President W. W. Tracy, General Secretary A. B. Humphrey of Illinois, ex-President James S. Clarkson of Iowa, General Russell A. Alger of Michigan, Hon. D. H. Hastings of Pennsylvania, ex-Senator Spooner of Wisconsin, Hon. John W. Thurston of Omaha, and a score of other representative members of the Republican party. The doors of the theatre were opened at nine o'clock, and half an hour later standing room in the interior was at a premium. With three hard raps of his gavel President W. W. Tracy was successful in securing order and after prayer had been offered Secretary Andrew H. Humphrey stepped forward and read the call for the gathering. As a prelude he congratulated the delegates upon the fact that the league had inaugurated the coming political contest upon the slopes of the Rocky mountains, and had assembled in this great, undeveloped, resourceful western country to renew their fealty to the party, for the preservation of past achievements, and to organize for greater victories in the future in response to the public demand for Republican restoration, national prosperity, and an administration distinctly American in policy. He then proceeded to read the declaration of the league, which in part is as follows:

Dazzled by the glittering promises of democracy, and led astray by sophistry and hypocrisy, the voters of the country in 1892 decided upon a change in national administration. Democratic control and sectional rule are now complete in the national government, and starvation for labor and ruin for capital prevails as a result of the policies and influences that dominate the Democratic party.

The hallucinations of 1892 are over. Facts have upset theories, weary of this "tariff-tinkering, bond issuing, debt-increasing, treasury-depleting, business-paralyzing, wage-reducing, queen-restoring, and un-American administration" now turn instinctively for relief to the party that saved the nation in her previous hour of peril and demonstrated masterly ability in giving the United States thirty years of prosperity, unparalleled in the history of nations.

Again it becomes the mission and duty of the grand old party to meet a national emergency with the highest patriotism. The party deplores the necessity but rises to the occasion. The struggle for liberty, progress, fair wages and all that America promises, did not end with the defeat in 1892. The fight must and will go on.

We believe that the humane, industrial and progressive American policy of the Republican party is best for the protection of "life, liberty and pursuit of happiness" for the American people.

We believe in honest elections as the bulwark of our institutions, and the right of every voter to cast one vote and have it fairly counted.

We believe in the dignity of free labor and the faithful maintenance of the difference between American and European wages.

We believe in the established policy of protection to American industry and to American workingmen, and in the Republican policy of reciprocity.

We believe in the fullest protection of all property and all forms of invested interests, and yet are opposed to corporation rule in the government of the United States, or of any state.

We gratefully remember the Union soldier in his hour of need, as well as in the day of his sacrifice and service.

We believe in sound money, and the use of both gold and silver as standard money, and that the purchasing and debt paying power of the dollar, whether gold, silver or paper, shall at all times be equal, as pledged in the national Republican platform at Minneapolis.

We believe in practical civil service reform, such as will separate the spoils idea from politics, and yet preserve the people in control of all public offices and all public affairs.

We believe in liberal and broad-minded policies, and in the assertion of American ideas in all American affairs.

The various epigrammatic sentences of the call were loudly applauded by the delegates. After the reading Secretary Humphrey called the roll of states, and the delegates handed up their credentials, every state and territory in the Union being represented. After the appointment of the numerous committees President Tracy stepped forward and delivered his annual address, and his appearance was the signal for another ovation.

At the conclusion of President Tracy's address an adjournment was taken.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

An Action for Alimony—A Case from the Cariboo Road.

The alimony action of Mumford v. Mumford came up before Mr. Justice Crease this morning in the supreme court. On the 19th of May last his lordship granted the wife, Catherine Elizabeth Mumford, a judicial separation from her husband, Jacob Mumford, proprietor of the 134 Mile house, and subsequently on a motion made for alimony the learned judge adjourned the hearing in order that a settlement might be arrived at out of court. In speaking for the petitioner Mr. A. Peters stated that he and Mr. Robertson had succeeded in arriving at a settlement, but as they were unsuccessful the whole matter must be dealt with in the usual way. The petition sets out that the parties were married on the 8th of January, 1873, and lived together until last fall; that in 1884, on the death of the wife's relatives in Germany she received about $1500, which she subsequent put into her husband's business and which was spent in improving the hotel premises. The husband, it is alleged, owns property valued at over $10,000.

CLOSING EXAMINATIONS.

Victoria West and Hillside Ward Schools Closed To-Day.

The closing examinations of the Hillside ward and Victoria West schools took place to-day. There was a large attendance at both the schools, the children present interesting programmes of readings and recitations. The promotion lists of the Victoria West school are:

From II to I Division, (Thos. Nicholson, teacher)—Margaret Tait, James McDonald, John Blatchford, Frank Jenkins, Annie Anderson, James McArthur, Mary Crocker, John Bland, Grace Kettle, Annie Farquhar, Bertha Messick, Thos. Comfort.

From III to II Division, (Miss E. G. Lawson, teacher)—John Battersby, Mary Burnett, Percy Craft, Keyworth Harrap, Allan Dick, Elton Baker, Samuel Crocker, Jenny McDonald, Alma Roberts, Melissa Harper.

From IV to III Division—Chas. Graham, Alena Bates, Melissa Patton, Wm. Allan, Winnifred Harris, Lawrence Basso, Gertrude Knappett, Augustus Sullivan, Annie Summerville, Lena Young, Stella Harris, Willie Bloomfield.

From Grade to 4th Grade, (Miss Murray, teacher)—Fred Murray, Maude Blatchford, Mina McKinnelley, Dorothy Pew, Maud Allan, Lee Wallace, Bertie Dodd, Pearl Welsh, Lily Jenkins, Jessie Sommerville, Annie Dockings, Alice Bland.

From 4th Grade to 3rd Grade—William Battersby, Evaline Crook, Blossom Pawcett, Sons Jacobson, Roth McDonald, May Roberts, Richard Stevens, Jessie Williams, Arthur Furman.

From Second Junior to Second Senior, (John J. Stephenson, teacher)—Sarah Barker, Alex Stevens, George Harper, Ethel Williams, Martha Andrews, Yolande Gannor, Thomas Saunders, Arthur Knappett, Arthur Crocker, Hilda Mann, James Okell, Edith Paynter, James Anderson, Christina Todd, Dora Harper, Mary Knox.

From 2nd Primer to 2nd Reader—Mabel Saunders, Lottie Horner, James Paynter, Sydney Burrows, Frank Wallace, Herman Hasenfratz, Hilda Richards, Martha Nicholson, Edith Atkins, Nellie Craft, Percy Rutter, Jas. Stewart.

From 1 Primer to II Primer, (Miss Mabel Gandin, teacher)—Robert Semple, Jno. McBeath, Percy Wilson, Walter Palmer, Elizabeth Albany, Paul Smith, Mathew Williams, Ada Williams, Charles Kirk, Percy Sallaway, Emily Skinner, Nellie Fairall, Bertha Pew, Robert Fisher, Edith Furgeson, Ernest Stevens, Andy Atkins.

From Chart to 1 Primer—Della Flanagan, Ada Smith, Violet Brown, Peter Bugstar, Hannah Hanson, Walter Duncalf, Walter Crocker, Lillian Pauline, Verna McLearn, Jack Roberts, Rose Palmer, Herbert Knappett, Maud Smith, Fred Jenkins.

HILLSIDE SCHOOL.

The promotions and prize lists for Hillside ward school follow:

I Class, (Miss Monroe, teacher), promoted 20 out of 22—Rosa Palmer, Edgar Johns, Holmes Pineo, Mabel Holt, Jessica A. Bowyer, John M. Robertson, Grace Hackett, Segred Gonnison, Maude McQuarrie, Frank R. Humber, Jennie Kay, Minnie F. Stapledon, William F. Blake, Frederick J. Batchelor, Margaret M. Campbell, Frank White, William D. Sellick, Frederick Winnett, John Frank, David Baker.

Rolls of Honor—Regularity and punctuality, Grace Hackett; deportment, Edgar Johns; proficiency, Rosa Palmer. Medals—Rosa Palmer, head of First class; John Coates, head of Second class. Prizes—Maggie Robertson, regularity; William A. Blake, highest marks in arithmetic; Holmes Pineo, highest marks in grammar.

II Class, (A. J. Monro, teacher)—John Coates, Thomas Wilson, Willie Lang, James Mackay, Albert McDonald, Annie Bartlett, Edward Sellick, Clarance McConnell, Mabel Scott, Blanch Roper, Frederick Bartlett, Leslie Gleason, Harry Hyde, Louisa Pellow, Alice Roach, Madge Erskine, Helen Baker, Maggie Roberson, Charles Coates, Adelaide Leathern, Lizzie Stewart.

II reader class, (Miss Jesse, teacher)—Clifford Pineo, Herbert Blake, Grace Carlton, Mabel Blake, May Frank, Kate Erskine, Charles Campbell, Percy Shakespeare, Henry Sangster, Alva Graham, George Maynard, Alfred Haughton, Sadie Johns, Alfred Williams, Hilda Gonnason, Ida Catterall, Victor Williams, Fred Jeeves, Dollie Auld, Florence Palmer, Edmund Jeeves, Carrie McQuarrie, Harry Kesler.

II primer class—Ethel Vale, Charles Bull, James Holland, George Holt, James Erskine, Hugh Stewart, Otto Stegmann, Lilly Potts, Frank Endean, Walter Bartlett, Harlod Allan, Lillie Griffiths, Ethel Heritage.

Roll of Honor list—Proficiency, Clifford Pineo; deportment, James Holland; regularity and punctuality, Herbert Blake.

Prize list, 1st class—Clifford Pineo, head of 1st class; spelling and arithmetic, Mabel Blake; writing, Grace Carlton; deportment, May Frank. Second class—written arithmetic, James Holland; proficiency, Charles Bull; head of second class, Ethel Vale; writing, Lilly Potts.

III Division, I primer class—Dolly White, Kate Palmer, Bert Grove, Emma Jorder, Arthur Cox, Percy Arden, Edna Taylor, Alma Stegmann, Janet Jeeves, Edna Bowe, Annie Slater, Lillie Stegmann, Bert Thomas, Olive Holt, Edward Parsons, Florence Pridham, Lizzie Smith, Faye Thomas, Eunice Erskine, Ralph Kay, Tillie Humber, Dolly Campbell, Percy Smith, Myrtle Rookridge, Gregor McQuarrie, Arthur Dakers.

Chart Class, promoted to 2nd primer—Joe Wilson, Harry Walker, Willie Jenkins, Beatrice Kayton, Charles Bull, Victor Griffith, Lizzie Potts, Mildred Jordan, Mabel Selleck, Edith Palmer, Grace Walsh, Harry Young, Alvin Gonnason.

Junior Chart, promoted to Chart—Cora Johns, Henrietta Meldrum, Flora Carter, Pussie Robinson, Florence Jeeves, Rufus Sangster, Fred Grove, Charles Mackay, Alexander Stewart, Victor Auld, Richard Johns, Alice Lumley, Nellie Jeeves.

Roll of Honor list—Proficiency, Dolly White; punctuality and regularity, Lizzie Potts; deportment, Bert Grove. Prize list—Proficiency in spelling, Kate Palmer; arithmetic, Percy Arden; writing, Arthur Cox; general proficiency, Edna Taylor; proficiency, Joe Wilson; good writing, Emma Jorder.

A Run Down System

Upper Sumas, B. C., May 10, 1894.—I suffered from a general run down system and distress in the stomach after eating. I have taken three bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and I am much better. Mrs. Nellie Barker.

HOOD'S PILLS cure sick headache, biliousness.

Use Gibbon's Toothache gum, sold druggists.

Heart Disease Relieved in 30 Minutes.—All cases of organic or sympathetic heart disease are relieved in 30 minutes and quickly cured by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. One dose convinces. Sold by Geo. Mowbray.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World.

THE WHEEL.

JULY MEETING.

A one day race meeting is to be held in this city some day between July 7th and 12th. Racers will be here from Spokane, the Sound and provincial cities. A committee of the club is to wait on the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society and the Victoria lacrosse club to endeavor to arrange to have a cinder path in the Caledonia grounds.

AT NANAIMO.

Nanaimo, June 25.—The bicycle races at the opening of the Caledonian grounds next Saturday afternoon will be as follows: One mile race, first prize, gold medal, value $23; second prize, medals worth $13.50; two mile race, first, medal, $20, second, $10; three mile, novices, first, medal, value, $19.50; second, $8.50; five mile, first, gold medal, $38; second, $15.

LACROSSE.

AN INVITATION TO JUNIORS.

The secretary of the James Bays received a telegram from Vancouver this morning inviting them there for a game with the Vancouver juniors on July 2nd. The Bays have declined the invitation, as they play at Nanaimo on Saturday next, and would not be in fit condition for another match on Monday.

LAWN TENNIS.

TO COMMENCE IN AUGUST.

The annual tournament of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club will commence on Monday, August 6th, and continue for a week. Entries must be sent to E. A. Jacob, the honorary secretary, before July 28th.

THE TURF.

RACES ON SATURDAY.

Three races are to be contested at the Victoria driving park on Saturday. The first is a buggy race, one-half mile, best three in five. The entries are Dr. Baker's Dandy; Deuer's Billy; Dr. Hamilton's Stanton, W. Snider's Gray Dick and McRae's Bay Dan. Purse, $50.

Running race, quarter mile and repeat; entries: King's Electric; Cowan's Seal; McKay's Gray Dick; Cowan's Kate; O'Neil's Jap Murphy and R. C. Rocket. Purse, $50.

Trotting race, two in three, entries: Meunier's Dart; Cowan's One-Eyed Johnny and Warner's Harry Velox.

BASEBALL.

A GAME FOR NEXT MONDAY.

The Amities have written to Manager Kelly of the Seattle Athletic club baseball club for a game on Dominion day, which will be observed on Monday next. It is quite likely that it will be agreed upon, but if it is not the Port Townsend club will be asked to come over. It is an assured fact that a good game will draw a good crowd.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—H E Levy, D C Farwell, P A Paulson, Mrs Paulson, E McNulty, W H Brown, Miss M E Caldwell, Mrs O Larson, J L Waller, R L Fox, C J Brenton.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—J Lawson & Bennett, B Van Volkenburg, D M Hartman & Co, Allice & Ault.

Argyle House.

We are Clearing Out the Following Lines of Goods:

A lot of Ladies' Parasols at cost price.
Ladies' Belts at cost price.
Childrens' Stockings reduced from 25c., 20c., and 15c., to 10c. a pair.
Boy's heavy ribbed Cotton Stockings reduced from 25c. to 15c.
A lot of Ladies' Jerseys at cost price.
All our stock of single width Dress Goods at cost.
Ladies' Beaded Capes below cost.

SPECIAL BARGAINS

Ladies' Undervests 10c. each, Childrens' Undervests 10c. each.
Ladies' Corsets 50c. a pair.
White quilts 90c. each.
Curtain Net for long curtains, taped and scollaped, 7 yds. for $1.00.
Lace Curtains taped and scollaped 50c. a pair.
Toilet Covers, white and with colored border, 25c. each.
White Calico, 20 yds. for $1.00.
Unbleached Calico, 20 yds. for $1.00.
Heavy White Sheeting, 20c. a yard.
Unbleached Sheeting, 20c. a yard.
Canton Flannel, 14 yds. for $1.00.
Glass Cloth, 12 yds. for $1.00.
Crash Toweling, 14 yds. for $1.00.
Sclecia Dress Lining, 3 yds. for 25c.
Table Linen, 20c. a yard.
Brooks' Sewing Cotton, best quality, 35c. a doz.
White Checked Muslins, 12 yds. for $1.00.
Black and Colored Cashmeres, 25c. a yd.

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

Public Meeting.

THE OPPOSITION CANDIDATES

Messrs. Beaven, Milne Dutton and Cameron

Will address the electors of Victoria at the Philharmonic Hall, Fort Street, on next WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 27th of June, and on FRIDAY EVENING, the 6th of July, 1894.

The chair will be taken each evening at 8 o'clock.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

INCORPORATED 1890.

The fourth annual meeting of the DONORS and SUBSCRIBERS to the institution will be held at the City Hall on Friday, the 29th June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Business: Receiving the annual report of the president and directors and the treasurer's statement for the year ending 1st June, likewise the election of directors.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation the following six directors retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election: J. S. Yates, E. C. Baker, Alexander Wilson, Chas. Hayward, H. Heisterman and William C. Ward.

In accordance with the Act of Incorporation the following six directors were re-elected at the annual meeting on 30th June, last year, for a term of two years, and are therefore still in office: George Byrnes, Joshua Davies, William M. Chudley, A. C. Flumerfelt, F. B. Gregory and E. A. McQuadie.

All DONORS of money and SUBSCRIBERS are eligible to vote for the election of directors.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary,
Care Yates & Jay, Bastion street.
Victoria, B.C., 18th June, 1894.

P.S.—According to the new act of the local parliament DONORS and SUBSCRIBERS, on the list for four months only, the City Council associate five (5), the local government three (3), and the French Benevolent Society three (3), making a total of fifteen directors.

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Wanted, tenders for the supply of 150 cords of wood, to be delivered at Central and South Park Schools, until Thursday, 28th inst. Particulars at my office, corner Broad and Fort Streets.

B. WILLIAMS,
je21-td Secretary.

Coal Notice.

The firm of HALL, GOEPEL & CO. having discontinued their Coal Business, all parties indebted to the said firm will oblige by a prompt settlement.

June 25-1w

. J. MORLEY and E. DEMERS .

Have taken over the

MARBLE BATHS SHAVING PARLORS

In basement of Salmon's tobacco store, cor. Government and Yates streets. They have a competent man to manage their plain and Turkish baths, and can assure the public of first class service in every line of their business. jl21-1w

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Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler

New York Hotel Building, Yates St.

Watches cleaned, 75 cts; Best Mainsprings 75 cts; Pivoting Wheels, 75 cts; Staffs and Pinions, $1.25; Clocks Cleaned, 50 cts. Jewelry repaired on short notice, on premises, at very low figures.

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Dealer in Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Glass, Etc,

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NOTICE.

Michigan St. from Menzies to Powell Sts. will be closed till further notice.

E. A. WILMOT,
je22-1f City Engineer.

Notice to Builders.

Tenders are required for the erection of a three-story stone and brick building on Broad street.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office, where tenders will be received, up till 12 o'clock noon on Thursday next, the 28th June, 1894.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. GERHARD TIARKS,
Architect.
49 Fort Government St. June 25, 1894.

NOTICE.

The Public Library and Reading Room, City Hall, will be closed during repairs until further notice.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's office, Victoria, B. C. C.M.C.
June 23, 1894.

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Of the Latest and Best Makes.

Select your WALL PAPERS from the largest, best and most varied stock in British Columbia.

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AWNINGS made to order; any style.

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Every lady should be interested in the fact that the *Priestley's* Dress Materials are to be had from the better class of dealers throughout Canada. For beauty, texture and enduring quality, they are unequalled. Manufactured as they are in pure wool, and in silk and wool interwoven, these goods have a soft richness which is a perfect delight to a lady of taste.

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Corned Ox Tongue.
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Very Fine Goods. Prices reasonable.

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Nanaimo, B. C.
je1-tf-d&w

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Every comfort for pleasure-seekers at Shawnigan Lake Hotel. Accommodation for hunting, fishing or boating parties. Three cottages to let, furnished or unfurnished, kitchens attached. Families or parties will find these comfortable and convenient.

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Extra strong plants of Choicest Old and New Varieties suitable for this climate.

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C. A. RATTRAY,
Agent.
Office Great Northern Ry., Government St.

BY ORDER OF SHIPPERS.

To close consignments, a shipment of the following will be sold at a considerable reduction under cost: Kirker & Co.'s Belfast Ginger Ale in cases (10 doz.); Lime Fruit Juice Cordial, Raspberry Vinegar; Brown & Polson's Corn Flour.

Terms cash.

ROBT. WARD & CO., Ld. Limtr.
Victoria, B. C., June 1st, 1894. 1m

NOTICE.

Menzies street, from Superior to Michigan street, will be closed to public traffic until further notice.

E. A. WILMOT,
June 19-1f City Engineer.

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Allan Line, Mongolian	June 30
Dominion Line, Oregon	June 23
Dominion Line, Sarnia	June 30
Beaver Line, Lake Superior	June 27
Beaver Line, Lake Winnipeg	July 4

From New York.

Cunard Line, Etruria	June 23
Cunard Line, Lucania	June 30
White Star Line, Tuetonic	June 27
White Star Line, Britannic	July 4
American Line, Paris	June 27
American Line, Berlin	July 4
North Ger. Lloyd, Havel	June 27
North Ger. Lloyd, Kaiser	June 30
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GEO. L. COURTNEY,
General Agent, Victoria.
Cor. Fort and Government Sts.

NOTICE.

COMPETITIVE PLANS

and Estimates of Cost for the Construction of a Permanent Roadway across James Bay on the line of Government St. between Rum-Humboldt street and Belleville street, will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 1st day of July, 1894.

Plan and profile of sight and particulars of competition may be seen at the office of the City Engineer.

Awards—1st prize, $350; 2nd prize, $150.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., June 23, 1894. 3-4m